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Dear Mrs. Asterick:

I will always remember you throughout my life and I hope we will meet again.

Sincerely
Corky

Mrs. Osterink
I will always remember what you taught me in civics and English
Bob Roberts

Mrs. Osterinks.
I will always be grateful to you for helping me all of the time. I thank you very much
Hope

Dear Mrs. Asterick
I am very happy that I have had you for a teacher and all that I have learned from you. I hope to see you in the future
Connie

Dear Mrs. Asterick
I will always remember you for your wonderful ways and principles. As an eighth grader I can remember you giving me inspiration in all that I have taken. Thanks for every thing you have done for me.
Love,
Mary Lou

Dear Mrs. Asterick
I will always remember you for your friendliness and interest in me. I am very glad you helped me. I am very sorry that I was absent so much. I hope that someday we can meet again.
Always,
Nancy

Alice Osterink

Dear Mrs. Osterink,

The time has come
me to leave the halls
for Lee. In leaving I will
take with me memories
of your fine teaching.
As you read and reread
the dedication may you al-
ways remember that words
not only come from our
minds but from our
hearts. Thank you for everything.

Barbara Mayerhofer

Lots of luck
in the future
Marie Allaire

Mrs. Osterink
Even though I
had you for a teacher
quite a while ago I will always
remember Mrs. Osterink as a
wonderful teacher and friend.
Thank you for all the
help and encouragement
you have given me.
Sincerely,
Carol Jones

Alice Osterink

I am so glad that the
"57" class were dedicated
this year. I always had
wanted to put those
last year into one of the
many who provided me
to day. I am so glad -
did - Edward Jones.

Dear Mrs. OsterinR

ThanR you for
everything you have
done for me while I
was in your classes
and while I was at
Lee High. You have been
a wonderful inspira-
tion to me.

Sally Lou

Mrs. Osterink
"In all things
I am sure that God
is able to meet all
our needs" meet
Yours in the Grace
of God, John DenBrink

Dear Mrs. Osterink
Of all the teachers
in school it was you
who taught us to get
things in ontime and
if we succeed in this
world it will be because
of dedicated teachers like
you who tried to help us
when we thought we didn't
need it
Terry Paul

Dear mrs osterink
I think you are one
of the Better teacher
and let you now I
wish you the best
of luck. I will never
forgotten went I make
that book on the fraden last
eleven and through it
was a lot of fun
Jerald R. Hughes

Dear Mrs. Osterink
I've met a lot of teachers
in the high school
from you for teaching me right things
You've taught me wrong things when I had
forget your classes. I will never
a teacher and I thanks
Hank Buehler

Dear mrs osterink
I never had you
as a classroom teacher
but I will always
remember your smiling
face in the hall. I hope
this book could not be
dedicated to anyone more
worthy of the honor than
yourself.
Evelyn Fette

Dear Mrs Osterink
I have a penny
nice summer
Chandler
Trombone
Burgtahler

Mrs. Osterink,
I appreciate your
wonderful guidance
you have given
me. I am so glad
that this book is
dedicated to you.
Julie Mayerhofer

The Senior Class presents

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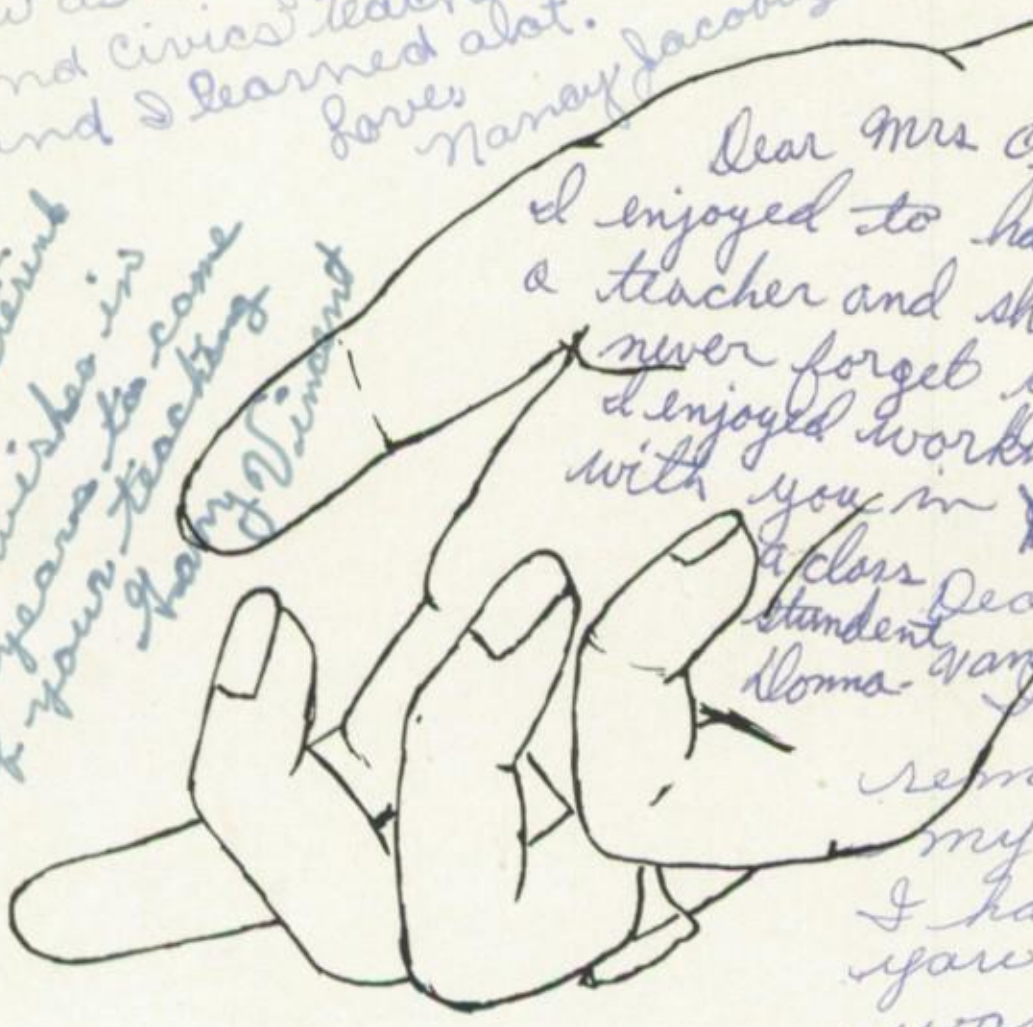

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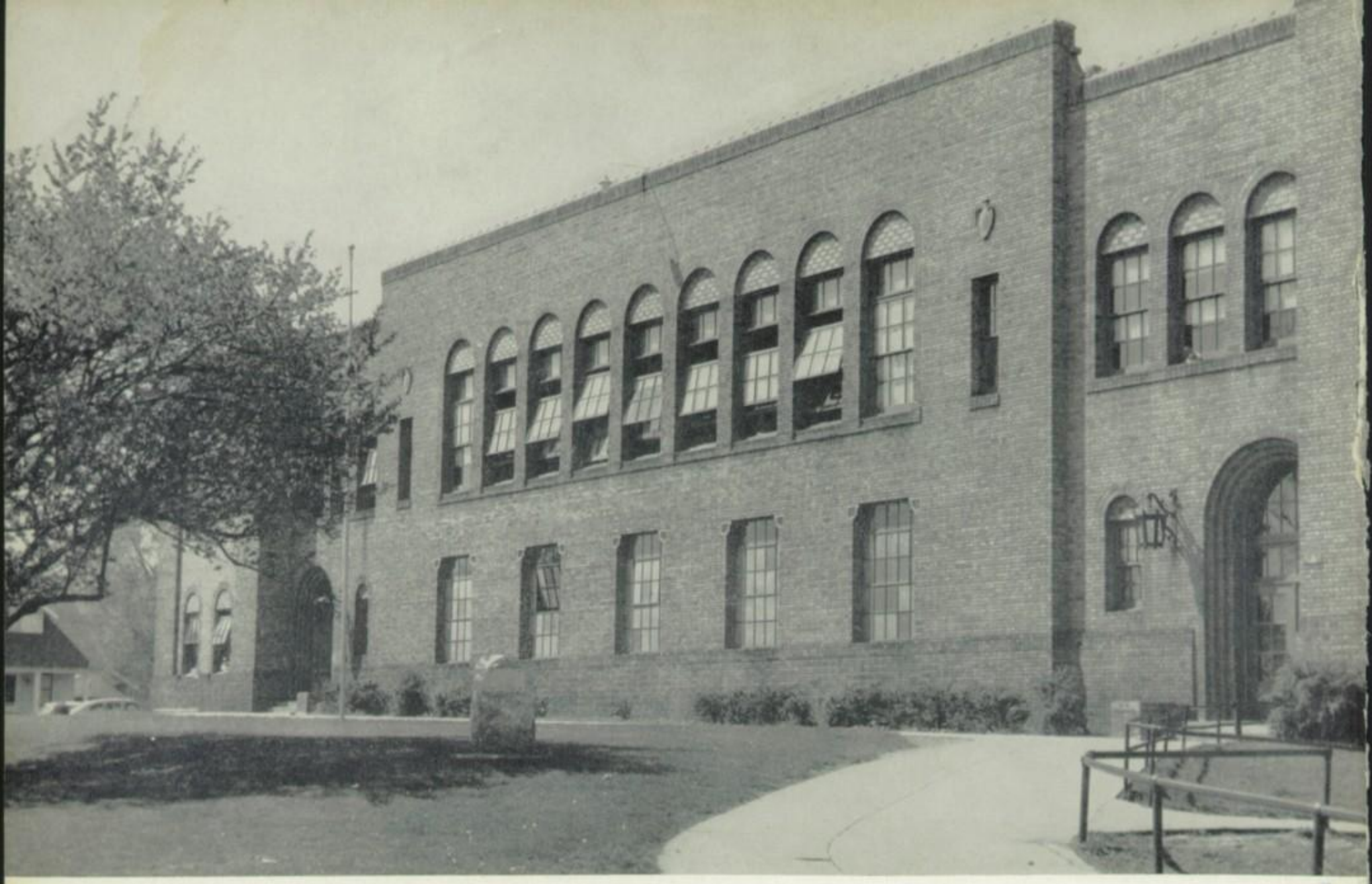

"Under whose sheltering hand we have spent happy days"

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Rebel Reveries

The moving finger writes; and having writ,
Moves on: nor all your Piety nor Wit
Shall lure it back to cancel half a Line
Nor all your tears wash out a Word of it.

—*The Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam*

* * *

These are the hands that do the molding,
Making men and women true;
They light the candle of learning
To brighten the path for you.

* * *

As commencement approaches with beckoning hands
With the promises of things anew,
And the unknown draws near with its myriad of plans,
Just what does it mean to you?

* * *

It is the hands and the head that toil
As your school days swiftly pass;
It is the heart and the soul that learn
The ways of true living in every class.

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The sound of the gavel started our four year meetings.
We had our successes and took our beatings;
Now the session is over and we stand adjourned,
And are grateful for all the lessons we've learned.

* * *

Lift high the torch of honor and fame;
Let all who know us respect our name;
May virtue mark all the rest of our days,
And love and happiness be ours always.

—*Class of '57*

Dedicated to a Helping Hand for Twenty-Six Years

Mrs. Alice Osterink

To Mrs. Alice Osterink, our teacher and friend, we, the 1957 Echo Staff, take great pleasure in dedicating this book.

It was her hands that molded us in our first high school years. She taught us not only our academic courses, but also the art of getting along with each other. Her daily use of courtesy and good manners has taught us much.

Mrs. Osterink, you have faithfully served us for many years and you have proved your fine character in many ways. We will never forget your willingness and eagerness to assist in any little way. Your fine Christian life has been an example to many and a light unto our feet.

As we leave the halls of Lee High our thoughts of you will return and sweet memories will linger of your unswerving devotion to the school and to the students.

It is because of these fine qualities, that we, the Class of 1957, wish to dedicate with much affection this our yearbook to you.

Alyce, an efficient aid to our busy Principal, Mr. Young.

Our capable office personnel, Mrs. Van Oort, Betty Johnson and Evelyn Kotte.

Daily Servicing Our School

Mr. Kapteyn keeping our halls lighted.

Mr. Jeltes preparing morning coffee.

Administration and Faculty

These are the hands that do the molding

Making men and women true.

They light the candle of learning

To brighten the path for you.

Dear Mrs. Osterink,
It seems as though only yesterday that I was in eight grader entering Civics class. Thanks so much for your guidance and all the things you taught me during that year.
Love,
Judy Compton
'58

Dear Mrs. Osterink,
It's been nice knowing you during the past 2 years. I enjoyed your class & the 8th grade. Sincerely,
Marilyn Cooper

Dear Mrs Osterink,
I've enjoyed having you as a Teacher. I'll always remember.
Clare Skinner
'61

Dear Mrs. Osterink,
Thank you so much for all the things you did for us. Time has passed so quickly from when we were in your classes.
Love
Connie Zipf
"58"

Dear Mrs. Osterink,
Best wishes this summer. I had a wonderful time in your room
Sandra
Luscher

MR. REUBEN L. YOUNG,
B.S.
Principal
Cleary College
Michigan State Normal College

MR. ALBERT S. ZAGERS,
B.A., M.A.
Director of Elementary Education
Western Michigan College
University of Michigan

MR. LLOYD C. FRY
B.A., M.A.
Superintendent
Western Michigan College
University of Michigan

With Genial Patience and Sympathetic Understanding

Our thanks go out to these men who stood willing to help us in a time of need. Each student's problem is of interest to the administration. Even though we may not realize it now, they are always striving for our own well-being. For these outstanding traits these men, who direct the policies and activities of our school, deserve our everlasting gratitude.

Standing: Mr. Gabriel Quakkelaar, Mr. John Hankamp, Mr. Lloyd Fry.

Seated: Mr. Robert Schellenberg, Mr. Peter Waalkes, Mr. Theodore Zuidema.

Outstanding Decisions and Faithful Service

A very important behind-the-scenes group of men are the members of the Board of Education.

Many of the students fail to realize the important part they play in our school lives.

We, the students, take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks for their interest and their faithful service during the past year.

The outstanding P.T.A. meeting of the year was in November with a high school open house. Mr. Young explained the High School curriculum. The evening was a tremendous success.

During the year several fund-raising projects were held. The money was used for the Polio Vaccine clinics for the high school students, awards for the top two Senior honor students, and to send delegates to the State P.T.A. Convention.

Standing: Mrs. Egbert Bouwkma, Mrs. Clella Watts, Mrs. Gordon Luscher.

Seated: Mrs. Robert Lovell, Mr. Robert Miller, Mrs. Maurice Mate, Mrs. Mary Thompson.

We Owe Thanks

GRACE BRINK,
B.M., M.M.
Vocal Music
Cosmopolitan School of Music
DePaul University
Wheaton College

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Chemistry, Biology, Junior Class Sponsor
Michigan State University

NEVA KINSEY,
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Librarian, Library Science Club Sponsor
Hillsdale College
University of Michigan

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English Literature, English, World History, Debate Coach
Calvin College
Western Michigan College

KEITH MORRISON,
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Industrial Arts, Y.F.C. Sponsor
Western Michigan College

LYNN POST,
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English, Eighth Grade History, American History, Hi-Y Sponsor, Reserve Football, Reserve Basketball, Tennis
Hope College
University of Michigan

JOHN GABRION,
B.S.
Eighth Grade History, Eighth Grade Shop, Ninth Grade Shop, Assistant Reserve Football, Freshman Backetball, Reserve Baseball Coach
Central Michigan College

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Homemaking, Ninth Grade Y-Teen Sponsor
Western Michigan College
Iowa State College
Michigan State University
George Peabody College for Teachers

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Bookkeeping, Coordinator, Sophomore Class Sponsor
Muskegon Junior College
Western Michigan College

JACK MCKINDLEY,
B.M.
Band
Western Michigan College

JOAN NELSON,
B.S.
Physical Education, G.A.A. Sponsor
Michigan State University

To Our Faculty

ALICE OSTERINK,
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Eighth Grade Civics, English, Eighth Grade Y-Teens Sponsor
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University of Michigan
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University of Michigan
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Algebra, Consumers' Mathematics, Senior Class Sponsor
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General Science, Solid Geometry, Physics
Calvin College
University of Michigan

GRACE VAN DOMELEN,
B.A.
American Literature, Public Speaking, Girls' Counselor
Hope College

SALLY WANENMACHER,
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Typing, Shorthand, Ninth Grade Sponsor, Senior Y-Teens Sponsor
Western Michigan College

WILLIAM WHITE,
B.A.
General Mathematics, Geometry, Trigonometry
Albion College
Chicago College of Dental Surgery

ROBERT WRIGHT,
B.A.
Arithmetic, Physical Education, Assistant Football, Head Basketball and Baseball
Western Michigan College

Seniors

As commencement approaches with beckoning hands

With promises of things anew,

And the unknown draws near with its myriad of plans,

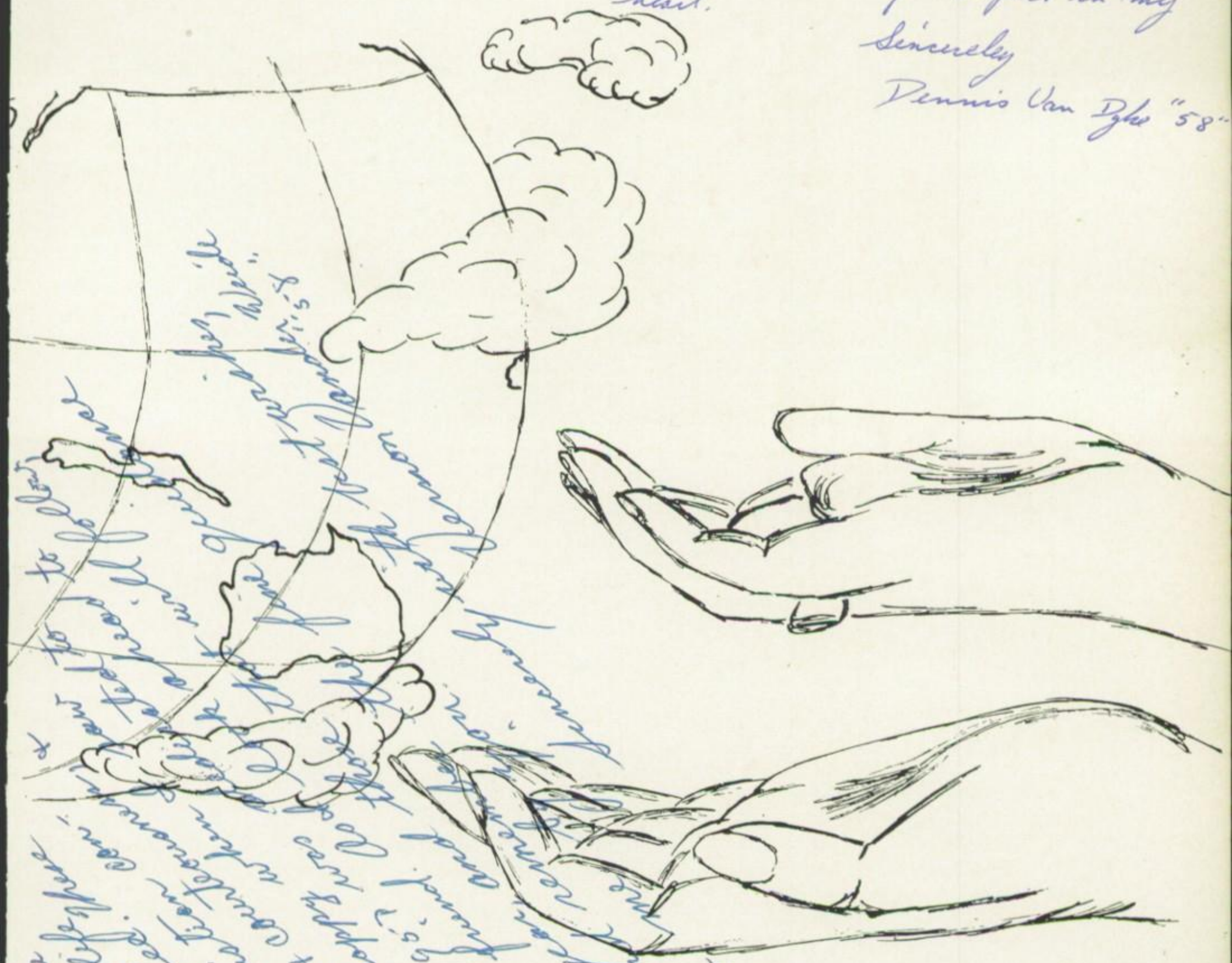
Just what does it mean to you?

Dear Mrs. Osterink

First of all I would like to thank you for your understanding friendship and help you gave me in your ~~eal~~ classes. A person like yourself shall never be without a great amount of respect in my heart.

Sincerely

Dennis Van Dyke "58"



Left to right: Gary Van Til, Student Council; Sybil Brown, Treasurer; David Delnay, President; Karen De Young, Secretary; Mr. Shisler, Advisor.

The Ending of a Wonderful Year

After the Senior Class of 1957 had elected their officers, they started making plans for parties. Besides those held after the football games, there was the traditional Christmas party.

And now came the announcement of the students receiving top honors scholastically. The highest honor, that of Valedictorian, went to Sally Camp; second place, Salutatorian, to Corlene Newhouse. Ever uppermost in the minds of the Seniors was the anticipation of the trip to Washington, D. C., where they would see our nation at work. In the midst of all the excitement the class presented "Time Out For Ginger."

Baccalaureate and Commencement brought the happy year to a close. The students selected as their class colors red and white and the American Beauty Rose as their flower; they chose to follow this motto: "Remember this, and also be persuaded of its truth — The future is not in the hands of fate, but in ourselves."

In Memoriam

Roger Kerkstra was called to his eternal home on March 5, 1956, after a short illness. The loss of a friend and fellow classmate was a shock to the students and faculty alike. But the comfort was that Rog was ready to meet his Lord and Master Whom he served and loved so dearly.

As the familiar strains of Pomp and Circumstance fill our corridors, our minds go back and remember Rog for his shining testimony and friendliness to his fellow students.

Mary Blouw

"Light of hair and light of heart;
We've enjoyed you from the start."

G.A.A. 2; Y.F.C. 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; Choir 4; Ariel Staff.

Donald J. Boorsma

"That mischievous gleam in his eye."

Hi-Y 3, 4; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3; Track 2, 3.

Barbara Brooks

"Never having much to say;;
Gentle and quiet in every way."

Y-Teens 1; G.A.A. 2, 3; Choir 3.

Sybil Brown

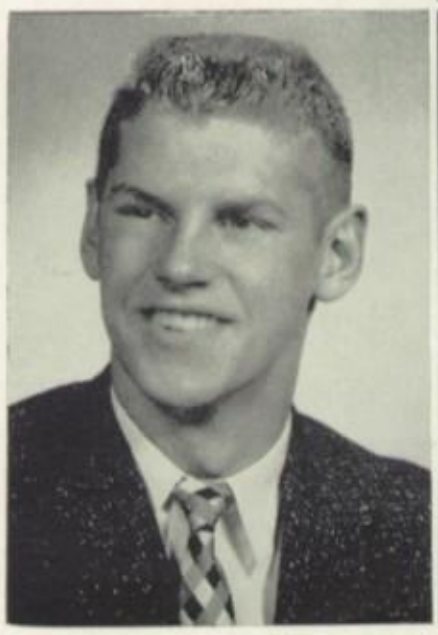
"May her ambition tower to the heaven's own height,
And her every moment be filled with delight."

Class Treasurer 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 2, Secretary 3, Treasurer 4; G.A.A. 2; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Debate 3, 4; Quill and Scroll; Ariel Staff, Editor.

Henry Buchholz

"To worry little, to study less,
That's my idea of happiness."

Hi-Y 1, 2; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4.



Sally Lou Camp

"With an activity and ability that cannot be hidden."

Class Treasurer 1; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Quill and Scroll; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff; Valedictorian.

Lyle De Laat

"He's short and small and quiet, too,
And to his friends he's true."

Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Junior Play; Choir 4.

David G. Delnay

"Quite an active lad; happy, helpful, never sad."

Senior Class President; Junior Class Secretary; Student Council 3, 4, President 4; Hi-Y 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Basketball Mgr. 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Echo Staff; Senior Play.

Ron De Ruyter

"I don't know what I'll be; Guess I'll wait and see."

Basketball 1, 2; Senior Play.

Shirley De Witt

"Quiet and sweet, a good friend to meet."

Student Council 1; Y.F.C. 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3; Choir 1, 2, 3.

Karen De Young

"A rare compound of mischief, fun, and friendliness."

Senior Class Secretary; Junior Class Vice-President; Student Council 4, Vice-President; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Y.F.C. 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff, Co-Editor; Homecoming Queen.

Richard C. Diekman

"As merry as the day is long."

Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, President 3, 4.

Mary Lou Doele

"It's nice to be natural when you are naturally nice."

G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 2, Vice-President 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Quill and Scroll; Ariel Staff, Editor; Echo Staff; Senior Play; D.A.R. Representative.

Robert Ellis

"Worrying never made man great, so why should I worry?"

Junior Class President; Student Council 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Y.F.C. 3; Choir 3; Basketball 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4.

Judy Evans

"A good heart is worth gold and friendliness was its mold."

Y-Teens 1; Choir 2, 3.

Barbara Eversdyk

"A little work, a little play is my idea of a perfect day."

Band 3; Y.F.C. 3; Junior Play.

Harryetta Faasse

"Blushes so pretty, hair so brown,
Sweetest girl that was ever found."

Y-Teens 1; Junior Play.

Karen Dee Henriksen

"Full of fun and mischief too, doing all there is to do."

G.A.A. 2; Y.F.C. 2, 3; Choir 2, 3, 4; Debate 3; Y-Teens 4; Ariel Staff.

Jerald Hughes

"A willing helper does not wait until he is asked."

Track 1, 2; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4, Secretary-Treasurer 4.

Betty Johnson

"Never downhearted, never weary, always jubilant, always cheery."

Choir 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Y.F.C. 2, 3, 4; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff.

Lloyd Kamp

"His friends are many; his foes are there any?"

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 2; Y.F.C. 2; Hi-Y 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Student Council 4.

Evelyn Kette

"Twas her thinking of others that made you think of her."

Y.F.C. 1, 2, 3; Student Council 2; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Y-Teens 4, Vice-President 4; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff; Quill and Scroll; Senior Play.

Marlene Klynstra

"This girl has personality combined with brains; She uses them both to make her gains."

Red Cross 1; Y.F.C. 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 4, President 4; Student Council 1, 4; G.A.A. 4; Junior Play; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff; Quill and Scroll; Senior Play.

Nancy Konyndyk

"A sweet disposition, a winning smile; She makes everyone's life seem worthwhile."

Red Cross 1; G.A.A. 1; Student Council 1; Library Science 1, President 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Y.F.C. 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Debate 3, 4; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff; Quill and Scroll; Senior Play.

Judy Korf

"Loyal of heart, alert of mind; A sweeter girl is hard to find."

Red Cross 1; Student Council 2; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y.F.C. 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 4; Junior Play; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff; Queen's Court.

Barbara Kay Mayerhoefer

"Thoughtfulness for others, generosity, modesty, and self-respect are her qualities."

Class Secretary 1; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Y.F.C. 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Junior Play; Ariel Staff; Quill and Scroll; Echo Staff, Editor-in-Chief.

Arthur Meyer

"He's tall and good-natured too, and we hope that all his wishes will come true."

Y.F.C. 3, 4; Ariel Staff.

Beverly Miller

"She is one of the quiet kind, but a better girl is hard to find."

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Y.F.C. 1, 2, 3, 4; Quill and Scroll; Ariel Staff; Senior Play.

Sharon Mitchell

"I assisted at the birth of that most significant word, 'flirtation'."

Class Secretary 2; Cheerleading 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Y.F.C. 3; Student Council 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Choir 2, 4; Echo Staff.

Verne Moerdyk

"I'd rather study books than girls."

Ariel Staff; Quill and Scroll; Senior Play.

Phyllis Muilenberg

"A giggle, a dash; a shriek, and a crash."

Class President 2; Y.F.C. 1, 3; Student Council 2; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 4; G.A.A. 4; Junior Play; Cheerleading 4; Ariel Staff; Quill and Scroll.

Don Mullens

"As an athlete, he was one of the best;
He would prove himself in any test."

Class President 1; Student Council 1; Hi-Y 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Ariel Staff; Quill and Scroll.

Bud Nardin

"Napoleon was a small man too."

Choir 3.

Corlene Newhouse

"Her wonderful cheering stands apart; and has won a place in all our hearts."

Class Vice-President 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 1; Y.F.C. 2, 3; Debate 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Rebelettes 2, 3, 4; Cheerleading 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff; Quill and Scroll; Queen's Court; Salutatorian.

James Newhouse

"All gentlemen don't prefer blondes."

Football 1, 2; Y.F.C. 2.

Anne Nielsen

"She's small; but so's a stick of dynamite."

Y.F.C. 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Rebelettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Ariel Staff; Echo Staff; Quill and Scroll.

Ruth Peuler

"Friendly towards all, with manners sweet; the kind of girl you would like to meet."

Y.F.C. 1, 2, 4; Pep Band 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Ariel Staff.

Jerry Puls

"I like work; it fascinates me. I can sit and look at it all day."

Track 2; Choir 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4, Chaplain 4; Y.F.C. 3, 4, President 4.

Roger Renkema

"A little fellow with a big heart."

Track 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 4; Choir 4.

Bob Roberts

"Fun did you say? Count me in."

Baseball Manager 1, 2; Hi-Y 3, 4.

Roger Roberts

"A little nonsense now and then,
Is relished by the best of men."

Baseball 1, 2; Student Council 3; Junior Play; Hi-Y 3, 4.

Kathlene Corene Rushton

"A prim little lady, ever looking just so."

Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Y.F.C. 1, 2, 3, 4; Ariel Staff; Quill and Scroll.

Arlene Schmidt

"No better pals were ever known, than Arlene and her saxophone."

G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 4; Y-Teens 1, 4; Library Science 4.

Ronald Shoemaker

"Easy to know; easy to like."

Football 1; Baseball 1; Junior Play; Hi-Y 4.

Edna Mae Southwell

"Quiet, but full of friendliness and thought."

Y-Teens 1; Choir 1, 2, 3; Y.F.C. 2, 3; G.A.A. 2, 3, 4; Junior Play.

Marilyn Teitsma

"As merry as the day is long."

G.A.A. 1, 2; Y.F.C. 1, 2, 3.

John Ten Brink

"I live the life I love."

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 3; Track 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Echo Staff.

Connie Thompson

"There is no everyday virtue greater than friendliness."

Library Science 1; Y-Teens 1, 2; G.A.A. 2, 3; Rebelettes 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 2, 3, 4; Ariel Staff.

Kay Van Singel

"Not that I love study less, but that I love fun more."

G.A.A. 2; Y-Teens 1, 3, 4, Secretary 4; Choir 1, 2, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

Gary Van Til

"Athletic in build, tall and slim;
Gentle in manner, lots of vim."

Class Vice-President 2; Choir 2, 3; Y.F.C. 3; Student Council 1, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4, President 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Latin Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 2, President 3; Echo Staff; Senior Play.

Ron Zuidema

"This lad is neither quiet nor loud, but you'll usually find him in the crowd."

Tennis 1; Band 1, 2, 3; Football Manager 3; Football 1, 2, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Student Council 4; Hi-Y 4; Ariel Staff.

Carol Zwiers

"She knew it not, but she was fair; and like the moonbeam is her hair."

Y-Teens 1; Library Science 1, 2, 3; Y.F.C. 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 4; Ariel Staff.

Marilyn Zwiers

"She has a nice smile you will remember quite a while."

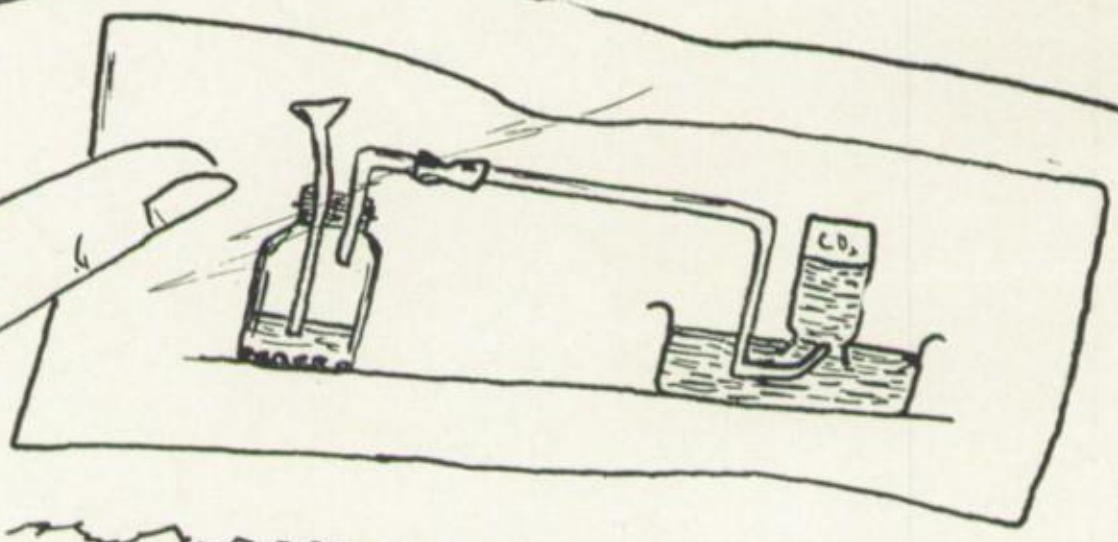
Underclassmen

It is the hands and the head that toil

As your school days swiftly pass;

It is the heart and the soul that learn

The ways of true living in every class.



Standing: Wayne Snoeyink, Student Council; Ken Coeling, Treasurer; Mr. Hansen, Sponsor.
Seated: Sherrie Slade, Secretary; Richard Greig, Vice-President; Bob Bonzheim, President; Karen Wiseman, Student Council.

Class of '58

The Junior Class started the year by electing officers who are as follows: President, Robert Bonzheim; Vice-President, Richard Greig; Secretary, Sherrie Slade; Treasurer, Ken Coeling; Student Council, Karen Wiseman and Wayne Snoeyink.

Selection of class rings was followed by the magazine sale which was a huge success, netting the class about $500.

The class presented as its play "June Mad." The play too was a success.

The Echo staff for 1958 was elected and work on the book was started.

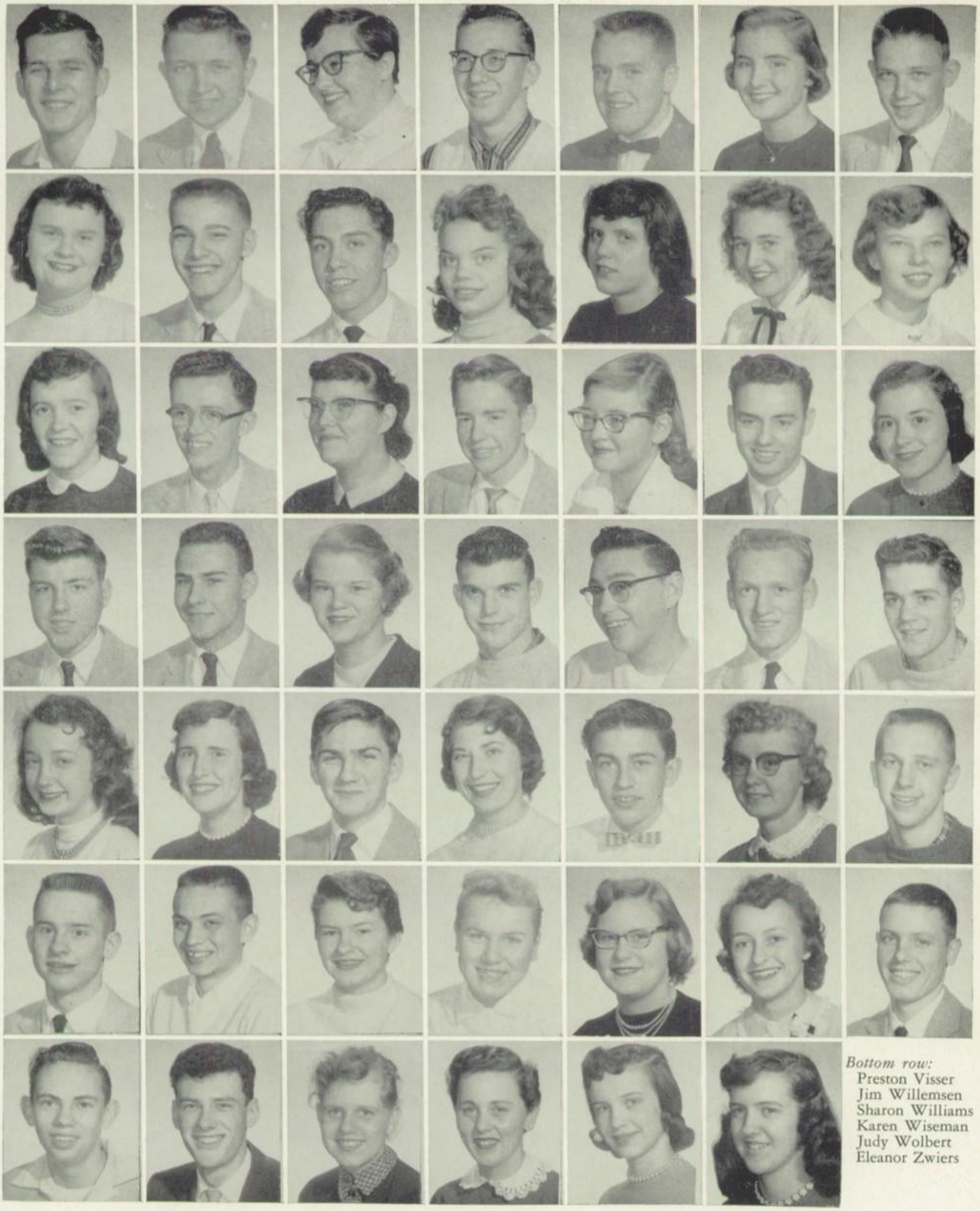
Working on plans for the Junior-Senior Banquet took much time and effort, but also gave much pleasure.

Top row:
Carol Adams
Ralph Antcliff
Barbara Baker
Jerry Battjes
Judy Beek
Ron Boelema
Robert Bonzheim

Second row:
Mary Boonenberg
Harold Borg
Jerry Bouwhuis
Nancy Chambers
Terry Chambers
Kenneth Coeling
Judy Compton

Third row:
Gordon Cook
Dale Deverman
Fred Dillinger
Martin De Vries
Frances Elkins
Kay Frost
Irean Gallacher

Bottom row:
Marilyn Geelhoed
Richard Greig
Don Grunwell
Carol Hankamp
David Haverkamp
Karen Herbig
Gene Heydenburg



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Gerald Hilton
Melvin Hoezee
Pat Hughes
Bill Huitema
Gary Joldersma
Shirley Kamp
Ralph Kerkstra

Second row:
Wilma Koetje
Ralph Kooistra
Jim Krakowski
Nancy Little
Rita Tovey
Sadie Lubberts
Joanne Lutke

Third row:
Sharon Merritt
Craige Moore
Carol Nagel
Don Nash
Pat Norder
Gordon Perham
Connie Pipe

Fourth row:
John Potjer
John Rhoad
Pat Riley
Wayne Ripperda
Robert Roest
Eugene Sanford
Larry Satterla

Fifth row:
Donna Scanlon
Sherrie Slade
Jim Smith
Mary Smith
Wayne Snoeyink
Janet Snyder
Dave Stout

Sixth row:
Vern VanderWeide
Dennis Van Dyke
Ruth Van Dyke
Joyce Van Kalker
Marlene Van Straten
Judy Velding
Larry Vincent

Bottom row:
Preston Visser
Jim Willemsen
Sharon Williams
Karen Wiseman
Judy Wolbert
Eleanor Zwiers

Left to right: Mr. Lakanen, Advisor; Doug Buchanan, Treasurer; Nancy Buikema, Vice-President; George Graeber, Student Council; Philip Mitchell, Secretary; Tom Thompson, President; Joy Bonzheim, Student Council.

Class of '59

Eagerly looking forward to being Juniors, the Sophomore Class began its year by electing class officers. Under the direction of Mr. Lakanen, a hayride was planned in the fall; another party was held in the spring.

Those chosen to serve as waiters at the Junior-Senior banquet felt highly honored. The Sophomore year, filled with happy times, passed all too quickly.

Top row:
Nancy Allen
Sharon Babcock
Charlotte Barton
Michael Belbot
Carol Beugelink
Joy Bonzheim
Shirley Bouwman

Second row:
Phyllis Boice
Douglas Buchanan
Nancy Buikema
Leon Berkley
Jack Camp
David Crow
Jerry Daily

Bottom row:
Martin De Mull
Joan De Pree
James De Young
Sharon Dykhouse
Gordon Faasse
Sandra Fleser
George Graeber

Bottom row:
Robert Wierenga
Ardis Wietsma

Top row:
Nancy Graeber
Lynn Hall
Peter Haverkamp
Pat Hewartson
Allyn Hinken
Bonnie Hoekstra
Linda Hogle

Second row:
Mary Lou Jipping
Kenneth Jones
Gordon Konyndyk
Carol Kooi
Sharon Koster
Richard Mate
Larry Merryweather

Third row:
Roberta Miller
Philip Mitchell
Robert Molenkamp
Bill Nash
Juanita Newhouse
Lynn Norlin
Joseph Nuffesse

Fourth row:
Marge Nylaan
Lorraine Opatic
Pat Poelman
Joyce Puls
Russell Reeder
Paul Riewald
Robert Robson

Fifth row:
George Seadorf
Robert Slagter
Donald Taylor
Kenneth Teitsma
Elaine Thompson
Tom Thompson
Robert Van Kampen

Standing: James Korf, Student Council; Carol Ford, Student Council; Mary Lou Kiel, Secretary; Jim Curtiss, Treasurer.

Seated: Miss Wanenmacher, Sponsor; Martin Reynolds, President; Wayne Dertien, Vice-President.

Class of '60

In September the Freshmen class started organization by electing officers. During the year they took part in various sales to raise money for their class party, which was a big success. It was a dance held in the gym, after which they had a delicious lunch, prepared by the room mothers.

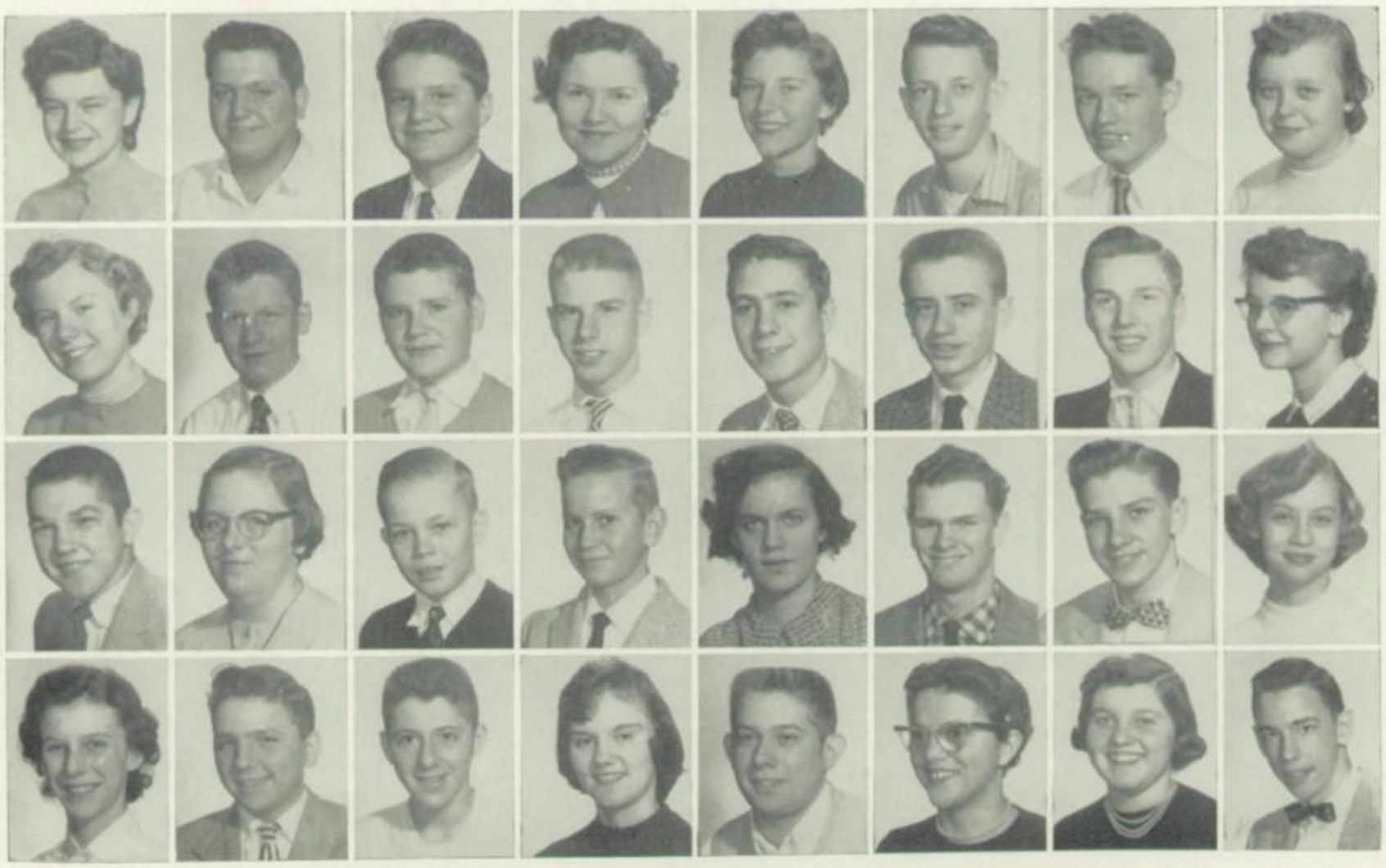
As the end of this year draws near, the Freshmen class will remember all the fun they had in the past.

Top row:
Jackie Ainsworth
Jim Ainsworth
Ronald Antcliff
Frances Armstrong
Donna Baar
Kenneth Boorsma
Gary Bowerman
Barbara Breen

Second row:
Shirley Breen
Tom Bruining
Jim Buikema
Larry Bush
Richard Bush
Ed Chapple
Bill Cole
Jackie Cooley

Third row:
Jim Curtiss
Bernice De Baar
Zane De Boer
Tom Delnay
Bonnie De Mott
Charles De Mott
Wayne Dertien
Barbara De Vries

Bottom row:
Patsy De Vries
Raymond Dillinger
Dennis Dykstra
Judy England
Raymond Fliearman
Carol Ford
Judy Geelhoed
Doug Greenwold



Ronnie Hage
Marlow Haverhals
Judy Hazebrook
John Heidema
Nancy Herbig
Pat Herzog
Dave Hoek

Bob Hoffman
Wendell Hofman
Gladys Inderbitzin
Brian Johnson
Maurice Jones
Gail Kendall
Robert Kerkstra

Mary Lou Kiel
Sharon Kiel
Jim Korf
Dale Kronemeyer
Jerry Laninga
Nancy Loomis
James Loosenort

Marilyn Lutke
Julie Mayerhoefer
Gary McKenney
Terry McStamp
Judy Moss
Sharon Nagel
Ned Nielsen

Ted Novakowski
Larry Orange
Alice Pikaart
Kent Quakkelaar
Leora Remtema
Martin Reynolds
Susan Robson

Vernon Schild
Louise Schmidt
Gerald Schumacher
Robert Sjoerdsma
Anna Snyder
Harvey Steensma
Leila Stewart

Dale Sullivan
Sandra Van Ark
Judy Van Doorn
Douglas Van Dyke
Jim Vander Meer
Harold Van Ham
Ron Van Komen

Bob Van Olst
Ted Van Os
Fred Van Straten
Marcia Van Till
Bob Velding
Gary Vincent
Josephine Vogel

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Jerry Watts
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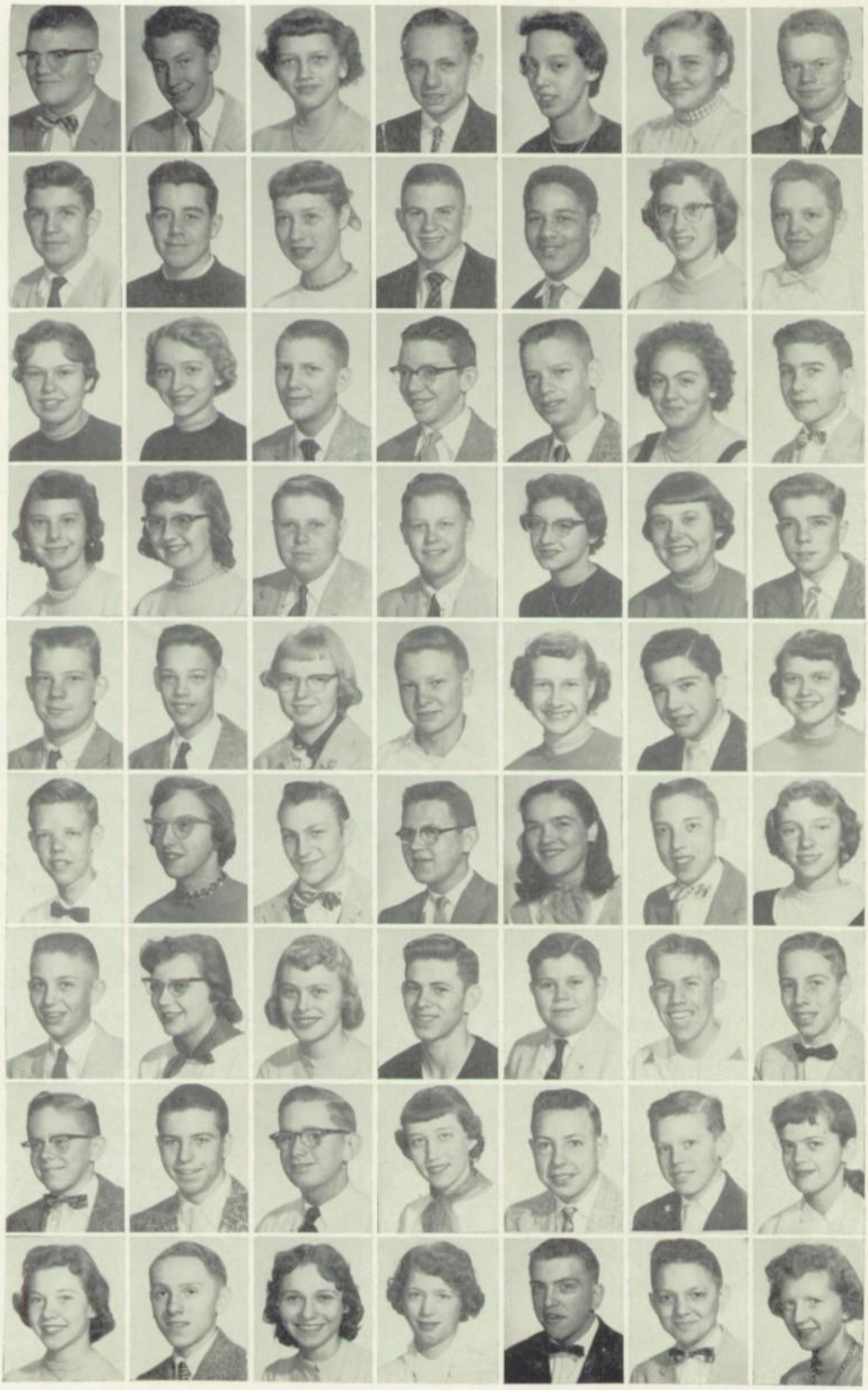


Left to right: Paul Sunde, Student Council; Jack DeRuyter, Vice-President; James Cole, President; Patti Billings, Secretary; Fred Slade, Student Council; Glenn Phelps, Treasurer; Mr. Rynbrandt, Sponsor.

Class of '61

This group of happy young people are the eighth graders, under the direction of Mr. Rynbrandt. The first activity, after the election of officers, was the annual picnic held at Johnson Park. With the help of the room mothers, the group had a wonderful time.

Later in the Spring, the class enjoyed another activity which proved to be an unforgettable time for each student.

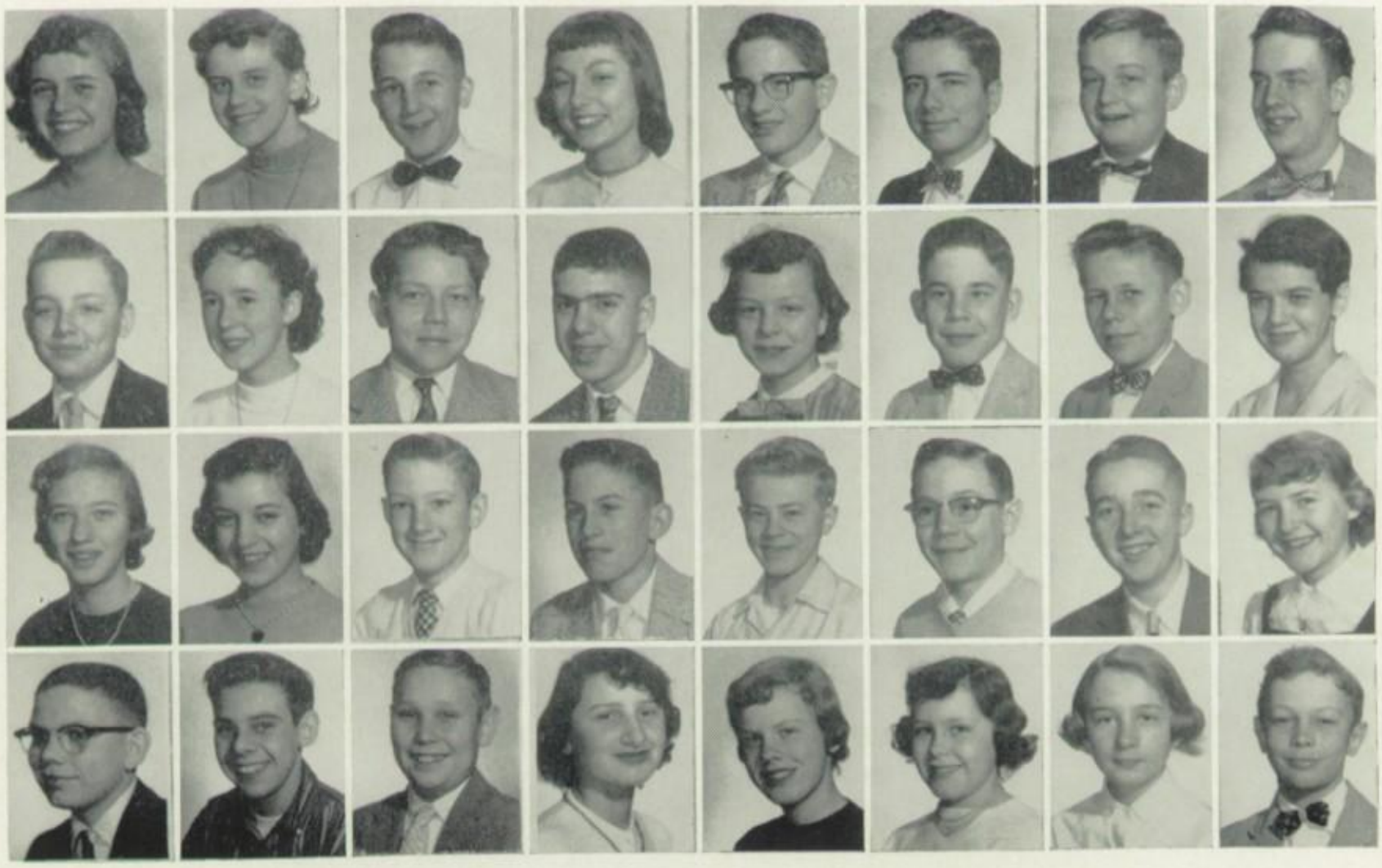
As the year comes to an end they report that they had a good time as eighth graders.

Top row:
Judy Aardema
Julia Baker
Tommy Barnes
Patti Billings
Gary Bloomer
Peter Breen
Gerald Bultema
Charles Burgstahler

Second row:
Jim Chambers
Nancy Chmurynski
Charles Clark
Jim Cole
Mary Cooley
Gene Coutchie
Robert Mulder
Phyllis Curtiss

Third row:
Karel Daily
Diane De Young
Jack De Ruyter
Bill De Vries
Roger De Vries
Lynn Doehring
Gilbert Drew
Marcia Dykhouse

Bottom row:
Paul Crisman
George Gallacher
David Garter
Sherry Greig
Mary Hankamp
Clare Heidema
Marian Heydenberg
Paul Heilkema



Larry Hoezee
Bob Hoezee
Dale Holcomb
Judy Hommerson
Gladys Hooyer
David Huntley
Nancy Jacobitz

Marcia Jeltes
Linda Jipping
Bette Johnson
Susan Kamradt
Pat Klotz
Gerald Koetje
Danny Lubberts

Karen Kunnen
Larry Lenger
Dianne Link
Sandra Luscher
Larry Main
Jim Mate
Ruth Marvin

Larry Merritt
Charlene Merryman
Paul Moerdyk
Bernice Moore
Ken Muilenberg
Franklin Farmer
Richard Nickelson

Marcia Osenga
Bill Owen
Glenn Phelps
Tom Potjer
James Riegling
Joan Roberts
Clare Robison

Diane Robson
Nancy Sanders
Terry Saunders
Dave Scanlon
Alfred Schenk
Gary Schenk
Ruth Schild

Pat Sjoerdsma
Dorothy Silvis
Fred Slade
Bill Slagter
Ellen Slagter
Donivee Snape
Dale Snyder

Larry Snyder
Jerry Snyder
Susan Sullivan
Paul Sunde
Lenora Toppen
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Donna Vander Laan

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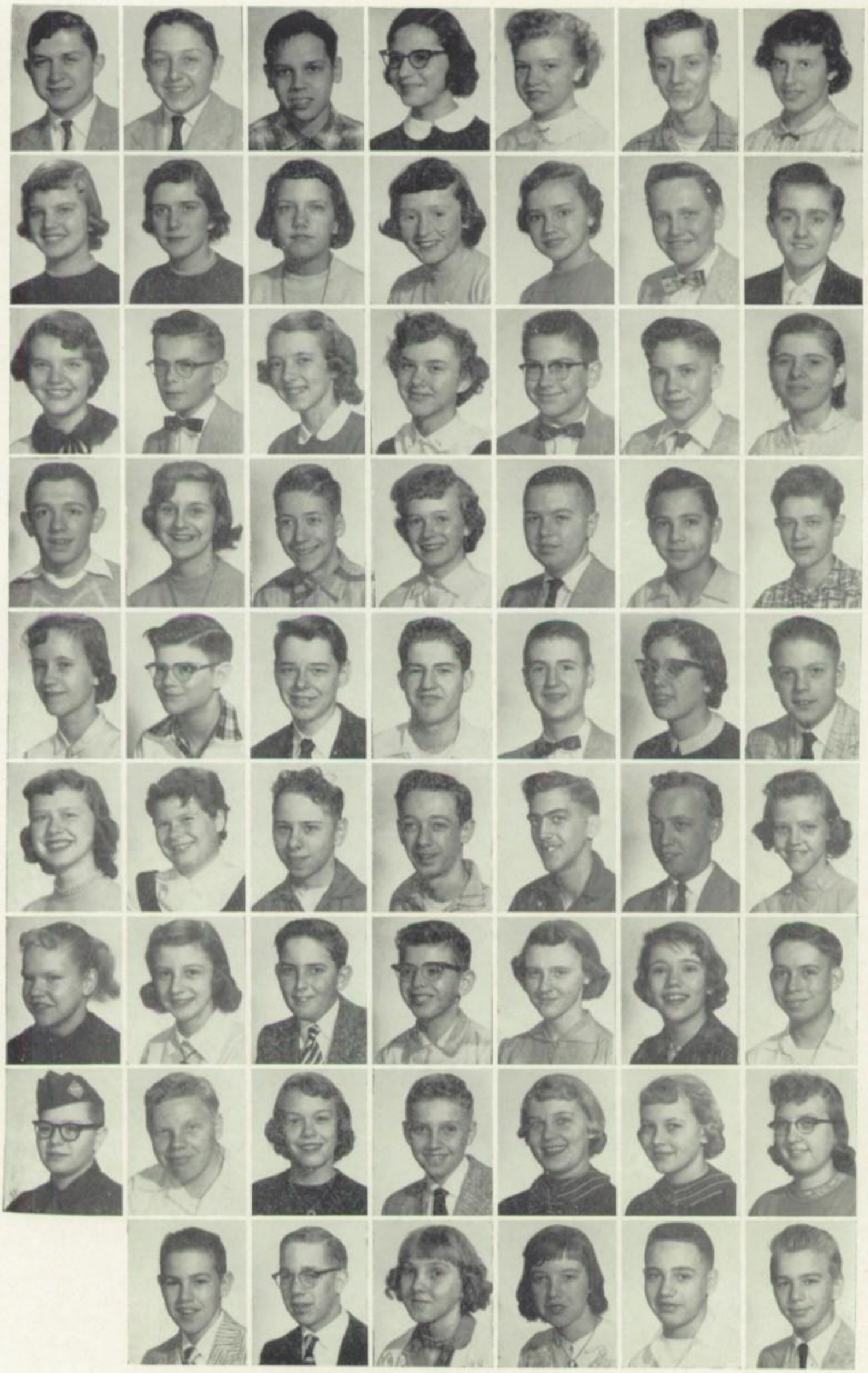
Keith Van Singel
Marie Wallace
Mary Wallace
Ed Webster
Dale Wiers



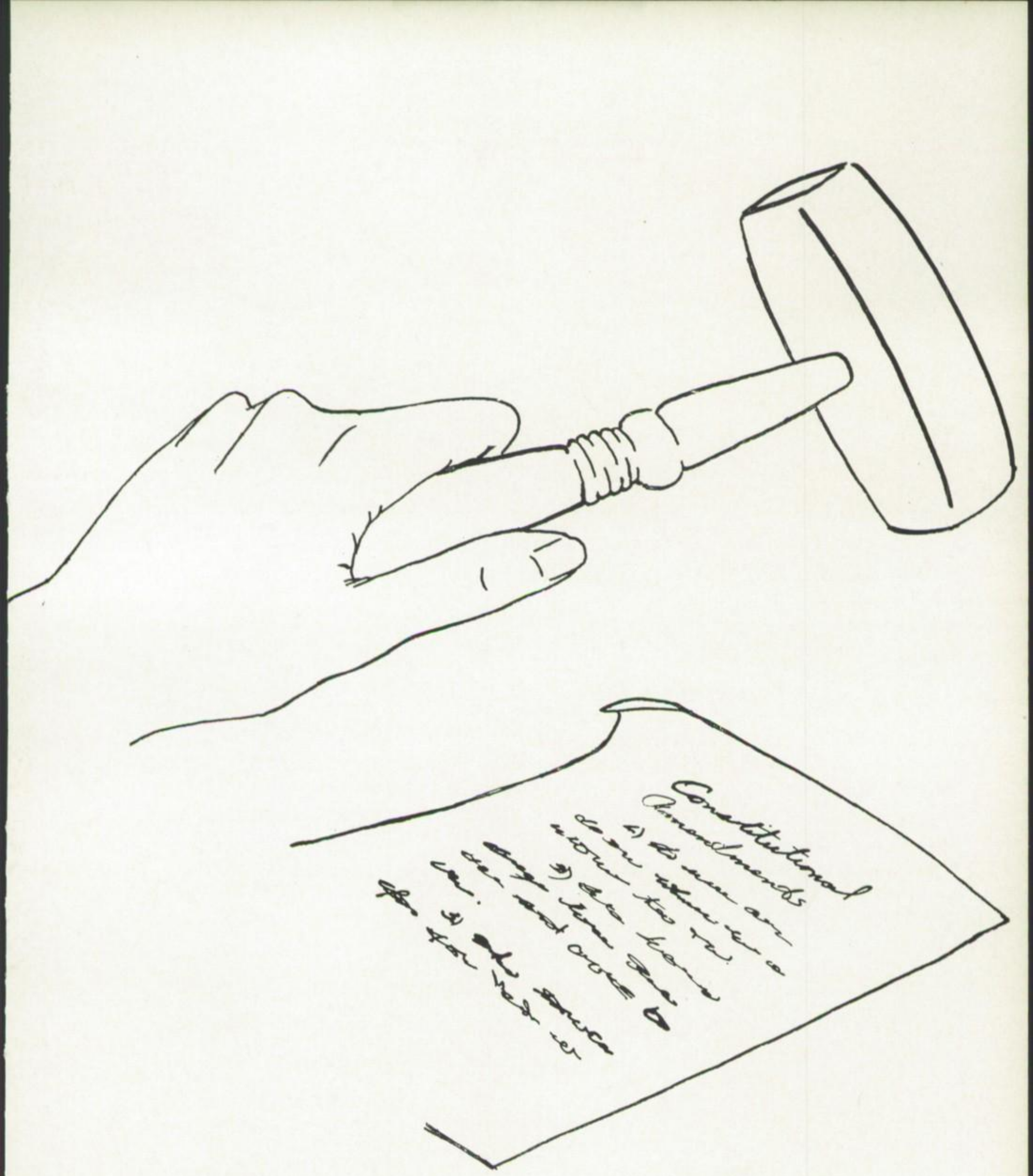
Organizations and Activities

The sound of the gavel started our four year meetings.

We had our successes and took our beatings;

Now the session is over and we stand adjourned,

And are grateful for all the lessons we've learned.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Amendments

Top row: George Graeber, Don Nash, Tom Thompson, Gary Van Til, Mrs. Van Domelen Sponsor, Richard Greig, Martin De Vries, Wayne Snoeyink, David Delnay.
Second row: Carol Ford, Nancy Herbig, Karen Herbig, Ron Zuidema, Martin Reynolds, Jim Korf, Jim Cole, Paul Sunde.
Bottom row: Gladys Inderbitzen, Nancy Jacobitz, Karen De Young, Marlene Klynstra, Judy Velding, Karen Wiseman, Anne Nielsen, Joy Bonzheim, Fred Slade.

Governing Our School

The Student Council began the year with the election of officers; and shortly after this, committees were appointed to carry on the various functions of the organization.

The Council met twice a month; various school problems and activities were discussed.

The special project for this year has been to work for a program in which specific honors will be given to deserving and outstanding students in academic subjects.

Standing: Mrs. Van Domelen, Sponsor; Tom Thompson, Treasurer; Karen De Young, Vice-President.

Seated: Judy Velding, Secretary; David Delnay, President.

Standing: Sybil Brown, Treasurer; Mary Lou Doele, Vice-President; Miss Riddering, Sponsor; Richard Greig, Student Council.

Seated: Sherrie Slade, Secretary; Nancy Konyndyk, President.

Enjoying Roman Customs

The Latin Club, under the direction of Miss Riddering, started the year with the election of officers. Meetings were held every month to decide the issues that faced the club. A Christmas party was held in the evening with a program afterwards.

In the spring the annual Roman Banquet was held. In the typical Roman style, the members reclined on couches and ate with their fingers. The Sophomores were slaves for the occasion.

The closing meeting of the year was one that honored the Seniors and gave them a farewell send-off in the Roman fashion.

Top row: Mary Lou Doele, Nancy Buikema, Sybil Brown, Dave Haverkamp, Gary Van Til, Ron Boelema, Jerry Puls, Phil Mitchell, Paul Riewald, Fred Dillinger.

Second row: Charlotte Barton, Kay Van Singel, Corlene Newhouse, John Rhoad, Marlene Klynstra, Harold Borg, Ken Coeling, Bob Bonzheim, Richard Greig.

Bottom row: Sherrie Slade, Sharon Koster, Judy Beek, Nancy Little, Phyllis Muilenberg, Judy Korf, Nancy Konyndyk, Arlene Schmidt, Miss Riddering, Sponsor.

Left to right: Nancy Konyndyk, Sybil Brown, Don Nash, Vern Vander Weide, Mr. Lieffers, Coach.

Opposing, Defending, Agreeing

The 1956-57 school year proved to be a successful one for the Lee High debaters.

Under the coaching of Mr. Lieffers, the team won a majority of their debates and secured an invitation to the district tournaments.

The team, composed mostly of Juniors and Sophomores, placed second in the Grand Valley League and again won a plaque for excellence in debate.

Sanding: Barbara Warren, Joanne Lutke, Nancy Graeber, Connie Pipe.

Seated: Nancy Allen, George Graeber.

Publications Dinner

Annual Editor, Barbara Mayerhoefer, receives award from Principal Reuben Young.

Outstanding Journalists Honored

The members of Quill and Scroll, an honorary journalistic society, proved their leadership ability and scholastic achievements by their outstanding work on the school newspaper and yearbook.

In the early spring a publications dinner was given in honor of those who were a part of this international society, to which both the Echo and Ariel staffs and faculty were invited. It is hoped that this dinner is the fore-runner of many others to honor academic and scholastic achievements.

Standing, left to right: Corlene Newhouse, Phyllis Muilenberg, Verne Moerdyk, Karen De Young, Mary Lou Doele, Nancy Konyndyk, Miss Ridering, Sponsor, Marlene Klynstra, Evelyn Kette, Donald Mullens.

Seated: Beverly Miller, Sybil Brown, Anne Nielsen, Barbara Mayerhoefer.

Standing, left to right: Evelyn Kette, Betty Johnson, Miss Riddering, Advisor, Connie Thompson, Kay Van Singel.
Seated: Jerald Hughes, Jerry Puls, Ellen Scott, Corlene Newhouse, Carol Zwiers, Barbara Eversdyk, Arlene Schmidt, Phyllis Muilenberg.

New Style for THE ARIEL

The Ariel staff collects all the news of the school and organizes it into a school paper. Among the advances made by the 1956-57 staff have been a change in masthead, pictures of school activities, and a change to the three column paper.

Members of the Journalism classes are designated to send material to The Herald for the Youth Parade and to The Alliance for the Ariel-ette.

Standing, left to right: Anne Nielsen, Beverly Miller, Ruth Peuler, Karen De Young, Marlene Klynstra, Nancy Konyndyk, Barbara Mayerhoefer.
Seated: Judy Korf, Karen Henriksen.

Left to right: Mary Blouw, Mary Lou Doele, Sybil Brown, Ron Zuidema, Don Mullens, Verne Moerdyk.

Standing: Karen De Young, Student Council; Karen Henriksen, Inter-club Council; Connie Pipe, Secretary; Evelyn Kette, Vice-President; Miss Wanenmacher, Sponsor.

Seated: Kay Van Singel, Treasurer; Marlene Klynstra, President.

Red is for Physical Fitness

The Y-Teen symbol is a triangle, the sides of which represent: red for physical fitness, blue for mental alertness, and white for spiritual guidance.

The Senior Y-Teens began their eventful year by electing officers. Under the leadership of Miss Wanenmacher, the girls spent an interesting and successful year.

At Christmas, corsages were sold to earn money, and a coke and potato chip party was held.

In the spring, the girls prepared a luncheon for a 4-H group and climaxed the year by holding their annual Mother and Daughter banquet.

Top row: Corlene Newhouse, Mary Lou Doele, Carol Hankamp, Nancy Chambers, Judy Compton, Nancy Buikema, Carol Nagel, Sharon Dykhouse.
Fourth row: Nancy Konyndyk, Phyllis Muilenberg, Evelyn Kette, Karen Herbig, Sharon Williams, Pat Norder, Frances Elkins, Judy Beek.
Third row: Sharon Mitchell, Marlene Klynstra, Judy Korf, Karen De Young, Marlene Van Straten, Shirley Kamp, Sharon Merritt, Judy Mulvihill, Joyce Van Kalker.
Second row: Karen Henriksen, Kay Van Singel, Ruth Van Dyke, Judy Wolbert, Anne Nielsen, Mary Boonenberg, Arlene Schmidt, Joy Bonzheim.
Bottom row: Connie Pipe, Joanne Lutke, Marilyn Geelhoed, Judy Velding, Karen Wiseman, Pat Hughes, Kay Frost, Miss Wanenmacher, Sponsor.

Top row: Sherrie Nagel, Carol Ford, Mary Zwiers, Judy Hazebrook, Sandra Van Ark, Nancy Herbig, Susan Robson, Judy Moss, Leila Stewart, Marcia Van Till.
Third row: Miss Huizinga, Sponsor, Marilyn Lutke, Bonnie White, Betty Mockerman, Louise Schmidt, Barbara Breen, Alice Pikaart, Pat De Vries.
Second row: Julie Mayerhoefer, Nancy Loomis, Pat Wiseman, Barbara De Vries, Judy England, Shirley Breen, Judy Geelhoed.
Bottom row: Leora Remtema, Jackie Cooley, Jackie Ainsworth, Barbara Warren, Mary Lou Kiel, Sharon Kiel, Donna Baar.

Blue . . . Mental Alertness

The Ninth Grade Y-Teens, under the sponsorship of Miss Huizinga, organized early in the year with thirty-four members.

Under the able leadership of President Leora Remtema, Vice-President Pat De Vries, Secretary Mary Zwiers, and Treasurer Susan Robson, the girls worked and played together.

Some of the highlights of the year were Miss Gavitt's showing of her collection of beautiful dolls from many lands; the dressing of the boy and girl dolls for the Santa Claus girls; the Date with Dad party and the Spring banquet. The inter-club representative was Jackie Ainsworth and Student Council representative, Nancy Herbig.

Standing, left to right: Miss Huizinga, Sponsor; Susan Robson, Treasurer; Nancy Herbig, Student Council; Pat De Vries, Vice-President; Jackie Ainsworth, Inter-club Council.

Seated: Mary Zwiers, Secretary; Leora Remtema, President.

Standing: Patti Billings, Vice-President; Mrs. Osterink, Sponsor; Nancy Jacobitz, Student Council; Nancy Chmurynski, Inter-Club Council.

Seated: Gladys Hooyer, President; Marcia Dykhouse, Secretary.

White . . . Spiritual Guidance

The Eighth Grade Y-Teens, sponsored by Mrs. Osterink, have had many worthwhile times together. Service and helpfulness to others has always been the ideal of these forty girls. Their first project was the contribution of five dollars to the World Fellowship Fund, which helps other girls throughout the world. Among other activities were the dressing of dolls for the Santa Claus Girls to be distributed at Christmas time; the Doll Tea held at the Y. W. C. A.; Christmas party; and the Date with Dad party, at which each girl and her father had a good time. The big social event of the year was the Spring banquet held at the Y. W. C. A.

Top row: Pat Sjoerdsma, Marcia Osenga, Patti Billings, Mary Hankamp, Karel Daily, Joan Roberts, Karen Kunnen, Marie Wallace, Gladys Hooyer.

Fourth row: Nancy Jacobitz, Marcia Jeltes, Linda Toppen, Diane Robson, Diane De Young, Donivee Snape, Ruth Ann Schild, Lenora Toppen, Charlene Merryman.

Third row: Linda Jipping, Kay Sack, Sandra Luscher, Jane Austin, Mary Wallace, Sherrie Greig, Nancy Chmurynski.

Second row: Judy Aardema, Susan Kamradt, Nancy Sanders, Susan Sullivan, Bernice Moore, Mrs. Osterink, Sponsor.

Bottom row: Marcia Dykhouse, Clare Heidema, Bette Johnson, Marian Heydenberg, Judy Hommerson, Diane Link, Phyllis Curtis.

Top row: Ken Coeling, Wilma Koetje, Shirley Bouwman, Pat Norder, Sandra Van Ark, Marge Nylaan, Carol Beugelink, Paul Riewald, Jerry Puls, Martin De Vries, Sadie Lubberts, Charlotte Barton, Gail Kendall, Dale Kronemeyer, Allyn Hinken.

Third row: Bill Nash, Sharon Mitchell, Judy Korf, Connie Pipe, Bonnie White, Sherrie Nagel, Bernice De Baar, Leora Remtema, Dorothy Silvis, Joyce Puls, Linda Toppen, Lenora Toppen, Beverly Miller.

Second row: Larry Main, Joanne Lutke, Mary Boonenberg, Gordie Konyndyk, Barbara Mayerhoefer, Mary Blouw, Julie Mayerhoefer, Lorraine Opatic, Ruth Peuler, Nancy Konyndyk, Carol Zwiers.

Bottom row: Paul Sunde, Tom Zuidema, David Van Schaik, Larry Lenger, Mary Cooley, Nancy Sanders, Marian Heydenberg, Ellen Slagter, Fred Slade, David Garter, Mr. Morrison, Sponsor.

Christ Living within the Youth

"Now thanks be to God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ." — II Corinthians 2:14.

This was the theme verse of Youth For Christ through the entire year, and truly Y.F.C. had much to be thankful for. Each week this club met for inspiration. Guest speakers, musicals, gospel films, and exchange meetings kept the interest high in the club. Weekly city-wide rallies were held with speakers and talent from all over the world. Monthly roller skating parties and funspirations were very popular.

Early in June this great year was brought to a spectacular close with the fourth annual Grand Reception.

Standing, left to right: Martin De Vries, Student Council; Mr. Morrison, Sponsor; Barbara Mayerhoefer, Vice-President.

Seated: Nancy Konyndyk, Secretary-Treasurer; Jerry Puls, President.

Standing: Karen De Young, Treasurer; Karen Herbig, Student Council; Miss Nelson, Sponsor; Anne Nielsen, Student Council.

Seated: Karen Wiseman, Vice-President; Marilyn Lutke, Secretary; Kay Frost, President.

Girls Promoting Interest in Sports

The program of the G.A.A. girls includes weekly play nights on Thursday and after-school bowling on Wednesdays. These activities give the girls the opportunity to earn points.

The highlight of events is the sponsoring of the Hi-Y - Faculty basketball game. An added attraction this year was the game of the Women Faculty vs. the G.A.A. girls.

Also enjoyed by the girls were a Valentine party and an Award dinner.

Top row: Judy Compton, Carol Beugelink, Betty Johnson, Mary Lou Doele, Sharon Dykhouse, Pat Hewartson, Corlene Newhouse, Nancy Herbig, Nancy Chambers, Sandra Van Ark, Frances Elkins, Ruth Van Dyke, Karen Herbig, Carol Hankamp, Marcia Van Till, Barbara Baker, Sadie Lubberts.

Fifth row: Nancy Buikema, Marge Nylaan, Judy Chmurynski, Carol Kooi, Mary Lou Jipping, Pat Poelman, Ardis Wietsma, Juanita Newhouse, Anne Nielsen, Phyllis Muilenberg, Pat Norder, Evelyn Kette, Karen De Young, Alice Pikaart, Marlene Van Straten, Wilma Koetje.

Fourth row: Beverly Miller, Marilyn Lutke, Judy Geelhoed, Gail Kendall, Mary Boonenberg, Carol Adams, Sharon Mitchell, Judy Korf, Pat Hughes, Judy Velding, Sharon Williams, Carol Nagel, Nancy Little.

Third row: Sharon Nagel, Carol Ford, Judy Van Doorn, Susan Robson, Shirley Kamp, Sherrie Slade, Judy Mulvihill, Arlene Schmidt, Joyce Van Kalker, Jackie Ainsworth, Sharon Kiel, Louise Schmidt, Judy Moss, Edna Southwell, Donna Scanlon.

Second row: Leila Stewart, Patricia De Vries, Shirley Breen, Bonnie Hoekstra, Joy Bonzheim, Joanne Lutke, Connie Pipe, Julie Mayerhoefer, Jackie Cooley, Mary Zwiers, Barbara Warren, Pat Wiseman, Karen Wiseman, Kay Frost, Nancy Allen, Sandra Fleser, Miss Nelson, Sponsor.

Bottom row: Donna Baar, Barbara Breen, Mary Lou Kiel, Bonnie White, Judy Hazebrook, Sharon Babcock, Judy Wolbert, Karen Henriksen, Sharon Merritt.

Standing: Lloyd Kamp, Vice-President; Henry Buchholz, Sergeant-at-Arms; Mr. Post, Sponsor; Jerry Puls, Student Council.

Seated: Jerald Hughes, Secretary-Treasurer; Gary Van Til, President.

Learning Government Procedure First-hand

As future voters these young men took advantage of a great privilege given them in the fall of the year, namely, to send two members as one-day representatives to the state legislature in Lansing. Ron Boelema and Vern Vander Weide were chosen and from their report the rest learned exactly how things ticked in the realm of politics.

The year was filled with many pleasurable events, such as the dance they sponsored and the hayride late in January given for members of the club and their invited guests. The highlight of the year was the annual Hi-Y vs. Faculty basketball game in February. At this benefit game the instructors "let down their hair" and pitted their skill against that of their students.

Again this year the club participated in the Hi-Y Basketball League and finished with a very good record.

With these good times as a groundwork, those returning next year are hoping to branch out even more into various fields.

Top row: Ron Shoemaker, Craige Moore, Ron Boelema, Gary Van Til, Henry Buchholz, Bob Ellis, Bob Roberts, Dave Stout, Lloyd Kamp.
Third row: Martin De Vries, Don Nash, Wayne Snoeyink, Jerry Puls, Dave Haverkamp, Don Boorsma, Dave Delnay, Roger Roberts.

Second row: Melvin Hoezee, Gene Sanford, Ralph Kooistra, Jim Krakowski, Richard Greig, Wayne Ripperda, Bob Bonzheim, Jim Smith.
Bottom row: Vern Vander Weide, Jerry Battjes, Ken Coeling, Bob Roest, Jerald Hughes, Ralph Kerkstra, Dennis Van Dyke, Ron Zuidema, Mr. Post, Sponsor.

Top row: Jim Krakowski, Lyle De Laat, Larry Satterla, Lynn Norlin, Dave Haverkamp, Don Mullens, Ron Zuidema.
Third row: Dave Delnay, Tom Thompson, Don Boorsma, Gene Sanford, John Ten Brink, Ralph Kooistra, Bob Bonzheim, Wayne Ripperda.

Second row: Roger Renkema, Doug Buchanan, Phil Mitchell, Ron Boelema, Dave Stout, Craige Moore, Ralph Kerkstra.
Bottom row: Lloyd Kamp, Gary Van Til, Bob Ellis, Henry Buchholz, Jerry Puls, Mr. Sabin, Sponsor.

Varsity Promotes School Spirit

The Varsity Club, composed of letter winners in Athletics, started its activities by electing officers. The project of the 1956-57 Varsity Club was the purchase of a Kodak Analyst Projector for the Athletic Department.

One of the functions used in raising funds for the club's new projector was the annual Junior High Invitational Tournament. A trophy purchased by the Varsity Club was presented to the tournament champions.

Standing: Lloyd Kamp, Student Council; Mr. Sabin, Sponsor; John Ten Brink, Vice-President.

Seated: Don Mullens, President; Dave Haverkamp, Secretary-Treasurer.

Standing, left to right: Gladys Hooyer, Gladys Inderbitzen, Arlene Schmidt, Nancy Chmurynski, Julie Mayerhoefer, Eleanor Zwiers, Phyllis Curtiss, Nancy Chambers, Barbara Baker, Alma Burgin.

Seated: Judy Hommerson, Mrs. Kinsey, Sponsor, Barbara Breen.

Keeping Our Library in Order

The Library Club, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Kinsey, had many good times together. One of these the girls will never forget was their visit to the Book Fair. The girls had the opportunity to look at new books and to choose some new titles for the Lee library.

Members of this organization are girls in grades 8-12. The girls have many duties to perform, some of which are to keep the shelves neat, keep the books arranged correctly, and to work daily at the circulation desk.

Standing: Gladys Inderbitzen, Student Council; Eleanor Zwiers, President; Nancy Chmurynski, Vice-President.
Seated: Mrs. Kinsey, Sponsor; Barbara Breen, Secretary.

Top row: Charlotte Barton, Nancy Buikema, Richard Mate, Tom Thompson, Lynn Norlin, Kent Quakkelaar, Ted Novakowski, Sharon Babcock, Larry Bush, Carol Beugelink.

Third row: Sharon Dykhouse, Pat Hewartson, Ed Chapple, George Graeber, Jim Buikema, Jim Curtiss, Alice Pikaart, Sandra Van Ark, Juanita Newhouse.

Second row: Judy Hazebrook, Shirley Bouwman, Donald Taylor, Bill Cole, Ronald Taylor, Tom Zuidema, Judy Moss, Mary Zwiers, Louise Schmidt.

Bottom row: Judy Van Doorn, Jackie Cooley, Bonnie White, Nancy Loomis, Miss Brink, Director, Sharon Nagel, Julie Mayerhoefer, Lorraine Opatic, Joyce Puls.

Singing Throughout the Year

Although the strains of music coming from the auditorium were interrupted by the illness of the director, Miss Grace Brink, the choir spent an eventful year. The members are grateful to Mrs. McKindley, who trained them for the Christmas Vesper Service.

Not only did they appear in the Grand Valley Vocal Festival in November and in the Christmas Vesper Service, but they also entered District, where they won first place, and State. Later in the school year, they held a breakfast and a barbecue supper.

Something new for the choir this year was a performance with the band in which a series of Victor Herbert melodies were played by the band as the choir sang them. The choir benefited from the services of Marlene Klynstra and Evelyn Kette, who were the accompanists.

Top row: Nancy Chambers, Sally Camp, Sybil Brown, Betty Johnson, Mary Lou Doele, Ted Novakowski, Tom Thompson, Richard Diekman, Lynn Norlin, Karen De Young, Sharon Mitchell, Karen Henriksen, Ellen Scott.

Fourth row: Sandra Van Ark, Marlene Klynstra, Evelyn Kette, Phyllis Muilenberg, Beverly Miller, Ed Chapple, Ralph Kerkstra, Kenneth Quakkelaar, Judy Beek, Carol Zwiers, Kay Frost.

Third row: Judy Korf, Wilma Koetje, Sadie Lubberts, Richard Mate, George Graeber, Lyle DeLaat, Roger Renkema, Jim Curtiss, Sharon Babcock, Frances Elkins, Sharon Nagel.

Second row: Ruth Van Dyk, Karen Herbig, Carol Hankamp, John Rhoad, Dennis Van Dyke, Jerald Hughes, Jim Buikema, Tom Zuidema, Connie Thompson, Kay Van Singel, Corlene Newhouse.

Bottom row: Miss Brink, Director, Mary Blouw, Judy Velding, Barbara Mayerhoefer, Pat Hewartson, Nancy Buikema, Pat Norder, Karen Wiseman, Pat Hughes, Juanita Newhouse, Joyce Van Kalker, Julie Mayerhoefer.

Standing: Ardis Wietsma, Sharon Merritt, Harold Borg, Brian Johnson, Wayne Ripperda, Nancy Konyndyk, Dave Stout, Sandra Luscher, Judy Compton, Larry Satterla, Mr. McKindley, Director, Carol Adams, Shirley Kamp, Judy Mulvihill, Mary Lou Jipping, Bonnie Hoekstra.

Fourth row, left to right: Paul Riewald, Ralph Kooistra, Martin De Vries, Bob Hoezee, Jim Chambers, Julia Baker, Dale Kronemeyer, Don Nash, Diane Robson, Jim De Young, Marcia Jeltes, Charles Burgstahler, Jim Smith, Vern Vander Weide.

Third row: Bob Kerkstra, Bill Nash, Ken Coeling, Bob Van Kampen, Jack Camp, Barbara Warren, Allyn Hinken, Jackie Ainsworth, Jerry Watts, Jim Vander Meer, Bob Robson, Gordon Konyndyk, Glenn Phelps, Ken Teitsma, Ruth Peuler, Marge Nylaan, Arlene Schmidt, Ken Jones, Anne Nielsen.

Second row: Joanne Lutke, Susan Robson, Barbara Breen, Connie Pipe, Donna Baar, Richard Greig, Sharon Koster, Doug Greenwold, Dianne Link, Karen Kunnen, Leora Remtema.

First row: Jim Krakowski, Leila Stewart, Gail Kendall, Mary Lou Kiel, Marilyn Lutke, Nancy Herbig, Marcia Van Till, Sharon Kiel.

Kneeling: Kathy Wilson.

Participating in Successful Events

The band, under the direction of Mr. McKindley, was very active during the entire year. It performed for all the home football games, marched in the Santa Claus Parade, and participated in the University of Michigan's Annual Band Day.

Many members took part in the District Solo Ensemble Festival. The band presented concerts to the High School and to the P.T.A., and gave exchange assemblies at East and Wyoming. It also participated in the District Band Festival at Grand Haven and the Grand Valley Band Festival.

The Pep Band performed at all the away football games, the home basketball games, and the pep assemblies.

The band was honored with a dinner in the Spring, at which time the members received letters and awards.

Standing: Jim Krakowski, Secretary-Treasurer; Mr. McKindley, Director; Richard Greig, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Seated: Martin De Vries, President; Anne Nielsen, Vice-President; Don Nash, Student Council.

The Band's Majorettes: Shirley Kamp, Judy Mulvihill, Carol Adams, and Kathy Wilson.

The Pep Band did a marvelous job in providing plenty of spirit at both the pep assemblies and games.

The student director for the year was Jim Krakowski, right end of second row.

Majorettes winning first in District, Judy Mulvihill and Shirley Kamp. Center: Paul Riewald, who won a District and State first.

Nancy Konynydk; Miss Riddering, Advisor; Karen De Young;
Barbara Mayerhoefer, Editor.

Long Hours and Hard Work

The Echo staff, under the skillful supervision of Miss Riddering, have put long hours and a lot of hard work into the production of this annual which we hope you, our readers, will enjoy.

The staff meetings, the taking and cropping of pictures, the writing of copy is now finished. The staff experiences on the book will be of much value to them in the future years.

A social luncheon was held in the spring after the work on the annual was completed.

Standing: Marlene Klynstra, Gary Van Til, David Delnay, Jerry Puls.
Seated: Judy Korf, Anne Nielsen.

Standing: Corlene Newhouse, Mary Lou Doele, Barbara Mayerhoefer, Betty Johnson.
Seated: Evelyn Kette, John Ten Brink.

Classroom Activities

Home Economics

In Home Economics the girls learn the "know how" of cooking and sewing. Marlene Klynstra and Judy Korf demonstrate their cooking ability while Miss Huizinga and the students listen and take notes.

Stenography

The students taking stenography learn the simplified form of writing necessary for all who are interested in entering the business or secretarial field. Miss Wanenmacher dictates a letter to her Senior Stenography class.

Public Speaking

In Public Speaking class the students learn to express themselves and their ideas. They learn correct pronunciation of words and their meaning. Here Lloyd Kamp, Karen De Young and Ron Zuidema record while Mrs. Van Domelen and the class listen and watch.

Physics

This is a subject that is both educational and interesting. It enlightens the students with a great deal of information about the everyday world. Gary Van Til, Jim Newhouse, Dave Delnay, Bob Ellis, and Don Mullens watch Mr. Vanderveen demonstrate a scientific experiment.

Bring Knowledge

Shop

With ingenuity and resourcefulness, students learn to make furniture by skill acquired in shop. In this way the student develops a keen sense of responsibility and learns co-operation with others.

Driver Education

This year Driver Training has grown considerably. At the end of the first semester it became necessary to enlist the services of three teachers, Mr. Robert Wright, Mr. Keith Clapp, and Mr. Orville Hann, to help the regular teacher, Mr. Harold Sabin. This class is very important to any student interested in learning to drive. Mr. Wright is explaining the mechanism to Terry Chambers and Richard Mate.

Chemistry

The peculiar odors often smelled in the halls originate from experiments performed in the chemistry lab. Anne Nielsen, Sherrie Slade, and Ralph Antcliff perform an experiment. Chemistry is the study of different kinds of matter and the laws which govern their relations. This is a very worthwhile class for students, especially those interested in entering such a field as medicine.

Geometry

Geometry, a course in higher mathematics, takes a great deal of concentration and thought. This subject, taught by Mr. White, is taken prior to higher Algebra and Trigonometry. To some this is one of the most important subjects at Lee.

Latin

The students learn both Latin and the customs of the Romans in this class. Here Phil Mitchell and Nancy Buikema assist Richard Greig and Judy Beek, demonstrating the toga, as the national dress of the Romans. The class will use this information in preparing for the Latin Banquet.

U. S. History

In order to appreciate our great heritage the students in this class learn about the principles on which our country was founded. They study problems of current interest and importance to all Americans. Mr. Post has the interest of the class as he explains current and important problems.

English Literature

By means of reading and studying the students were taken to distant places. They studied twelve centuries of literature which enabled them to realize in a new sense "the best that has been said and done." Mr. Lieffers looks on as Kay Frost reads to the class.

Bookkeeping

Bookkeeping offers excellent training for students who are planning to enter the business world. It is very practical and vital to these students.

Left to right: Judy Wolbert, Vernon Vander Weide, Judy Beek, Wayne Ripperda, Don Nash, Janet Snyder, Kenneth Coeling, Sherrie Slade, David Stout, Judy Compton, Judy Velding, Dennis Van Dyke.

Juniors Present "June Mad"

The Junior Class presented the delightful comedy, "June Mad," in February of this year.

The story concerns Penny Wood played by Sherrie Slade and Chuck Harris played by Kenneth Coeling, as they go about the frequently difficult, but always amusing business of growing up. When Penny's Uncle Mervyn, only five years older than she, brings Roger Van Vleck, senior and a killer-diller, home from college, she forgets to be a man-hater. In her efforts to the fascinating Roger, she almost disrupts two families, but the discovery that Roger is double-crossing Mervyn by trying to steal his girl brings her back to normal and incidentally to Chuck.

The play proved to be a success under the direction of Mr. Jay Lieffers.

Both Mervyn, played by Vern Vander Weide, and Roger Van Vleck, played by Wayne Ripperda, are more than eager to aid Julie Harris, played by Judy Beek, with her sprained ankle.

Kenneth Coeling, as Chuck, romps around the house with Penny, played by Sherrie Slade, as Penny's mother, played by Judy Compton, tries to make a telephone conversation.

Seniors Present
"Time Out For Ginger"

"Time Out For Ginger" was the title of the comedy presented by the Seniors on April 5 and 6. The play centered around a fairly well situated banker and a speech he made at a local high school on self-fulfillment. The youngest of his three daughters, Ginger, played by Evelyn Kette, felt that she could best satisfy her own fulfillment by playing on the football team. This course of action infringed upon the lives of the two older sisters. Also complicating the plot were the repercussions resulting from the speech. The principal of the school paid the Carols a visit and told them what he thought of Mr. Carol's, played by Verne Moerdyk, "simple speech on manners." This was followed by Mr. Carol's boss telling him that if his daughter didn't stop playing football, he would be fired.

The play was filled with humor, but there were also warm and touching situations.

Lizzie, portrayed by Beverly Miller, makes comments to Mr. Carol, played by Verne Moerdyk, on one of his speeches, while Mrs. Carol, played by Mary Lou Doele, watches.

Evelyn Kette, as Ginger, prepares for training, while her sister Jeannie, played by Marlene Klynstra, practices her part in the school play. Ed Hoffman, the bank president, played by Ron De Ruyter, stands by.

Left to right: Verne Moerdyk, Mary Lou Doele, David Delnay, Evelyn Kette, Gary Van Til, Mr. Lieffers, Director, Beverly Miller, Marlene Klynstra, Don De Ruyter, Nancy Konyndyk.

Karen Henriksen and Ron Byers dance to the music of Lew Allen's Band.

An Evening in Paris

It was truly an Evening in Paris when the Juniors honored the Seniors at the annual Junior and Senior Banquet. The illusion of gay "Paree" was captured by the sidewalk cafes, the Eiffel Tower, and the Arc of Triumph.

The Master of Ceremonies was John Ten Brink, who introduced the speaker of the evening, Frank Du Mond.

The first Junior and Senior dance was held later in the evening. The Lew Allen Band furnished the music for the evening of enjoyment and entertainment.

To conclude the evening a lunch was served at midnight by the parents and the tired Juniors and Seniors went home.

Dining in the atmosphere of Paris.

Beauty Reigns at Lee

The night was perfect, the atmosphere was genial, and the Queen and her Court satisfied our highest expectations. Yes, it was the big night for our beautiful queen, Karen De Young, and her lovely court, Judy Korf and Corlene Newhouse.

The Queen and her Court, as they rode by on their way to greet the Lee fans, were presented to the East spectators. The night, warm and clear, was made all the more beautiful by the impressive ceremonies.

During the halftime, Karen was crowned homecoming queen by last year's Queen Cleo Thompson. The president of the Alumni, Clare Lipscomb, presented Karen with her trophy and many beautiful gifts.

Queen Karen De Young.

The Queen and her Court . . .
Judy Korf, Karen De Young, Corlene Newhouse.

Claire Lipscomb assisting Karen.

School Functions

Our singing sextet, Phyllis Muilenberg, Sharon Mitchell, Evelyn Kette, Karen Henriksen, Karen De Young, and Marlene Klynstra at the piano.

Third annual Hi-Y vs. Faculty basketball game.

Henry Buchholz, Ronald Zuidema, and Betty Johnson stand in line and wait to practice their democratic right to vote in the school's Student Council election.

Ron Shoemaker, Art Meyer, and Nancy Konyndyk decorate the Senior's "pride and joy," the Christmas tree.

'58 Echo Staff: Judy Compton, Copy Editor; Vern Vander Weide, Editor; and Kenneth Coeling, Business Manager.

An added attraction to the Hi-Y-Faculty game was the G.A.A. against the women faculty.

Hard to Forget

One of the many square dances held under the calling of Bob Caskey.

Latin students enjoy a chicken banquet in the old Roman style.

Mr. McKindley presents band award to Ruth Peuler, while Nancy Konyndyk, Arlene Schmidt, and Anne Nielsen look on.

The teachers in their daily coffee break, where an informal time is spent.

Judy Korf and Phyllis Muilenberg shop in a local department store for those clothes needed for the trip.

Arlene Schmidt and Kay Van Singel look at a poster of Washington, D. C., to get some idea of what it's like.

Athletics

Lift high the torch of honor and fame;

Let all who know us respect our name;

May virtue mark all the rest of our days,

And love and happiness be ours always.

Left to right: Sharon Merritt, Mary Lou Jipping, Shirley Kamp, Barbara Brooks, Connie Thompson, Joy Bonzheim, Corlene Newhouse, Ellen Scott, Anne Nielsen.

Center: Judy Wolbert.

Hop, Skip, and a Jump

These girls, skilled in the art of jumping rope, strive for perfection in making formations and performing routines.

Co-ordination of both hands and feet tend to aid in the perfection the girls are endeavoring to reach. This group of girls ask no reward except the contentment of the audience.

Boosting School Spirit

The saying, "Practice makes perfect," was never more true than in the case of the Lee Cheerleaders. Striving for pep on the part of the student body, they have become skilled in the art of leading.

Standing: Corlene Newhouse, Joy Bonzheim, Pat Poelman.

Seated: Phyllis Muilenberg, Judy Velding, Ruth Van Dyke.

Top row: Russell Reeder, Jerald Daily, Dennis Van Dyke, Ron Zuidema, Robert Bonzheim, Ralph Kerkstra, Wayne Ripperda, Doug Buchanan, Roger Renkema.

Second row: Coach Sabin, Robert Molenkamp, Tom Thompson, Gordon Faasse, Ralph Kooistra, Lloyd Kamp, Donald Mullens, Larry Satterla, Eugene Sanford, Dave Delnay, Assistant Coach Wright.

Bottom row: Manager Vern Vander Weide, John Ten Brink, Gary Van Til, Henry Buchholz, Robert Ellis, Lynn Norlin, Dave Stout, Jerry Puls, Manager Glenn Phelps.

Rebels Bringing Honor

Being handicapped by a small number of boys this year, Lee did not live up to its past records. Although the boys had plenty of spirit and enthusiasm they could not handle their own against the larger and more powerful teams. Lee did, however, prove a constant threat to other teams by defeating Kelloggsville 20-0 in a non-league game.

Bob Ellis and Don Mullens were chosen for the Grand Valley team.

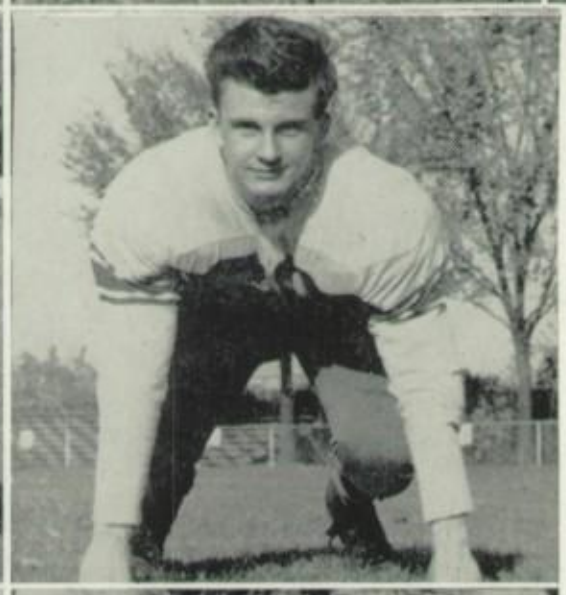
After next year they will be playing schools of comparable size. In the new league the schools will be Byron Center, Hudsonville, Kelloggsville, Lee and Rogers.

Scores

Allegan	26	Lee	21	
Rockford	14	Lee	0	
Grandville	26	Lee	0	
Kelloggsville	0	Lee	20	
East	66	Lee	0	
Godwin	26	Lee	0	
Lowell	40	Lee	6	
Wyoming	6	Lee	6	

Standings

	W	L	T
East	6	0	0
Godwin	4	1	1
Lowell	4	1	1
Grandville	3	3	0
Rockford	2	4	0
Lee	0	5	1
Wyoming	0	5	1



Top:

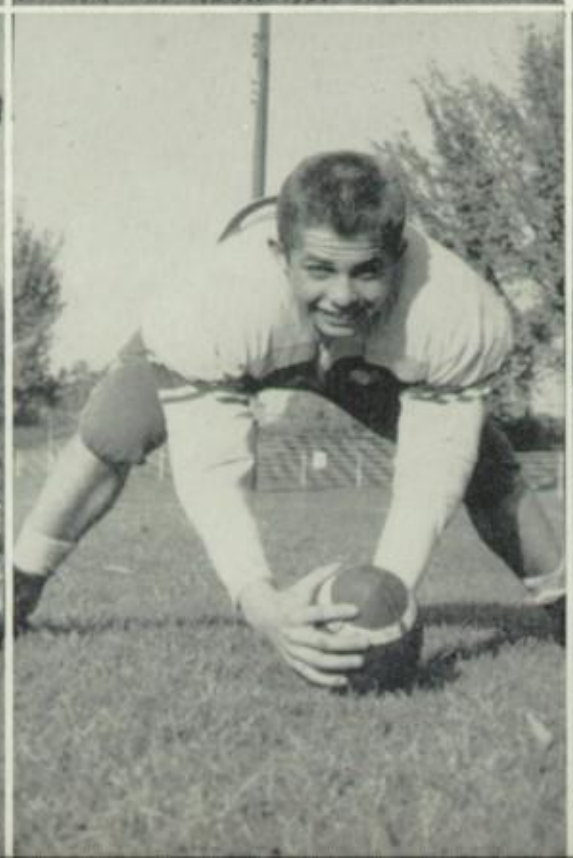
Gary Van Til
Jerry Puls
Donald Mullens
Henry Buchholz

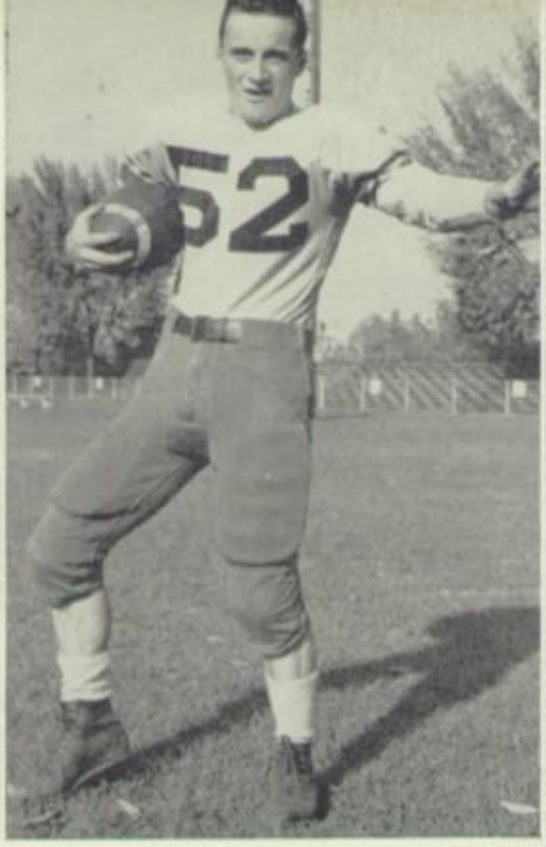
Center:

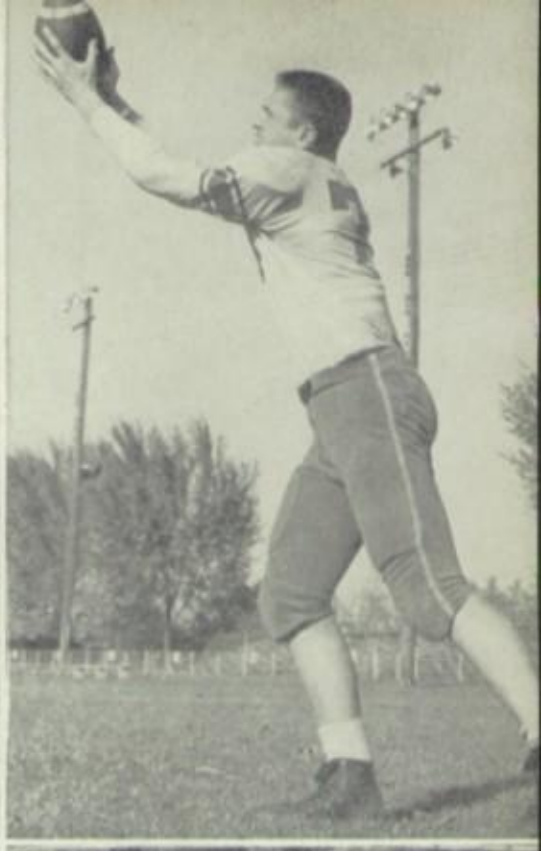
Robert Ellis
Douglas Buchanan
Russell Reeder
David Stout

Bottom:

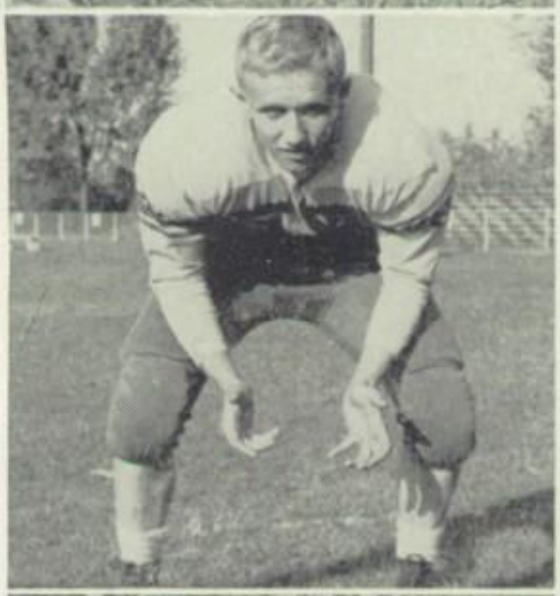
Wayne Ripperda
Lloyd Kamp
Robert Bonzheim
Gene Sanford







Top:
Robert Molenkamp
Roger Renkema
Ronald Zuidema
Lynn Norlin



Center:
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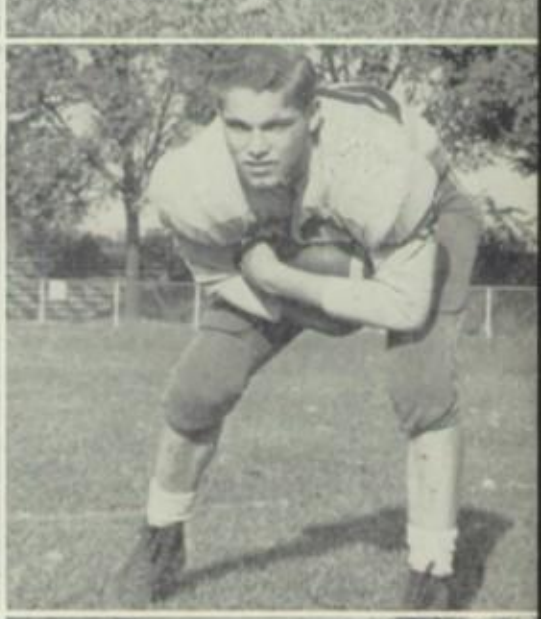
David Delnay
Gordon Faasse
Ralph Kooistra



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Dennis Van Dyke
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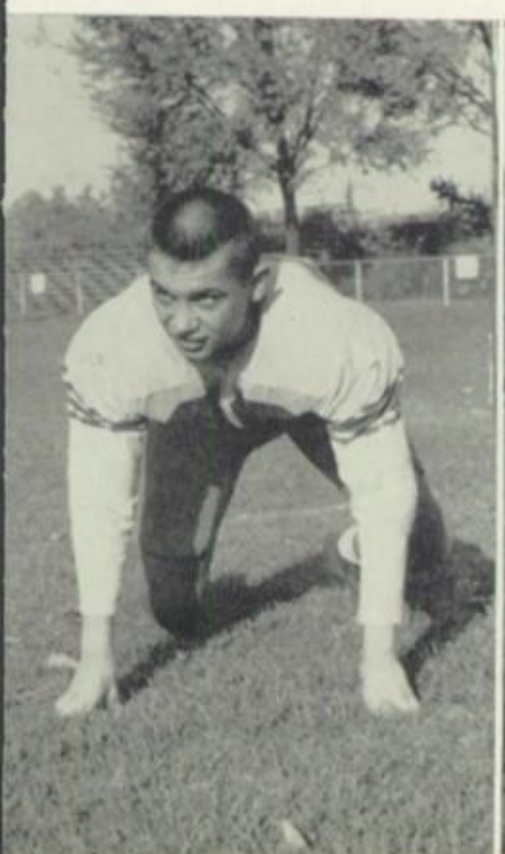
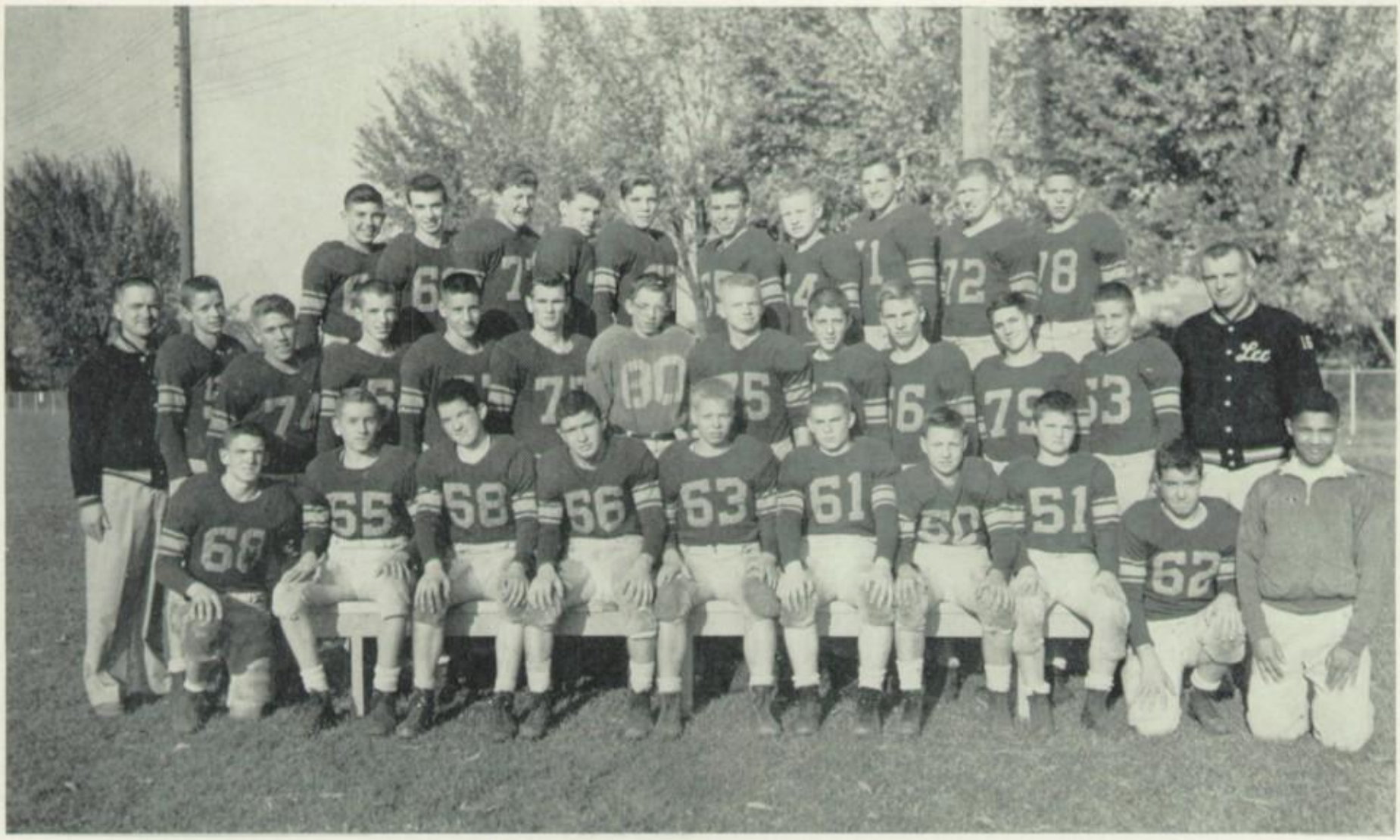
John Ten Brink
Tom Thompson





Top row: Bob Hoffman, Phil Mitchell, Bob Robson, Gary Bowerman, Ned Nielsen, Ted Van Os, Kent Quakkelaar, Wayne Dertien, Jim De Young, Larry Orange.

Second row: Assistant Coach Gabrion, Jerry Laninga, Harold Van Ham, George Graeber, George Seadorf, Charles De Mott, Dale Kronemeyer, David Hoek, Dennis Dykstra, Bill Cole, Richard Bush, Dale Sullivan, Coach Post.

Bottom row: Richard Mate, Jerry Watts, Jim Curtiss, Martin Reynolds, Gordon Konyndyk, Brian Johnson, Bob Velding, Ron Antcliff, Wendell Hofman, Maurice Jones.

Little Rebels Show Spirit

The little Rebels started the season off with a bang by defeating Rockford by a score of 19-6.

Then inexperience started to show up as they dropped the next five games and tied the last.

But what was lacking in experience was made up in spirit and determination, for they were always a constant threat to the opposing team; only in one game were they shut out.

Next year this team, with its many promising Freshmen, will be a certain threat to any team.

Scores

Rockford	- - -	6	- -	Lee	- - 19
Grandville	- -	28	- -	Lee	- - 14
Kelloggsville	- -	19	- -	Lee	- - 6
East	- - - -	52	- -	Lee	- - 7
Godwin	- - -	32	- -	Lee	- - 0
Lowell	- - - -	31	- -	Lee	- - 7
Wyoming	- - -	13	- -	Lee	- - 13

Standing: Manager Dave Delnay, Bob Hoffman, Martin De Vries, Wayne Snoeyink, Lynn Norlin, Ron Boelema, Tom Thompson, Coach Robert Wright.

Seated: Don Mullens, Dave Haverkamp, Henry Buchholz, Gary Van Til, Jerry Daily.

Rebels District Champs

The 1956-57 basketball team has been a record-breaking one.

This past year, the league's highest scorer was Dave Haverkamp. Dave set an unofficial school record of 39 points. Lee took third place, bowing only to East and Grandville.

Lee also broke the Caledonia Scotties four-year winning streak to take the District Championship. In the first game in the Regionals Lee lost to the State Champions, Lakeview, in a very well played game 63-59.

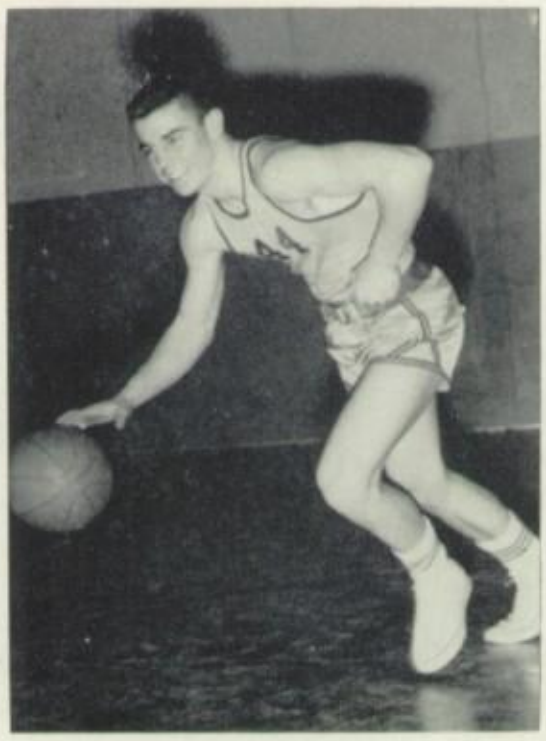
Scores

Rogers	41	Lee	59	Rockford	51	Lee	77
Grandville	43	Lee	58	East	63	Lee	60
Wyoming	46	Lee	58	Kelloggsville	56	Lee	64
Kelloggsville	45	Lee	72				
Godwin	57	Lee	55				
Lowell	54	Lee	57				
Rockford	57	Lee	62				
East	59	Lee	48				
Grandville	70	Lee	59				
Wyoming	43	Lee	65				
Rogers	46	Lee	94				
Godwin	63	Lee	73				
Lowell	42	Lee	58				

Standings

	W	L
East	12	1
Grandville	10	2
Lee	8	4
Godwin	6	6
Rockford	3	9
Lowell	2	10
Wyoming	2	10

Lynn Norlin

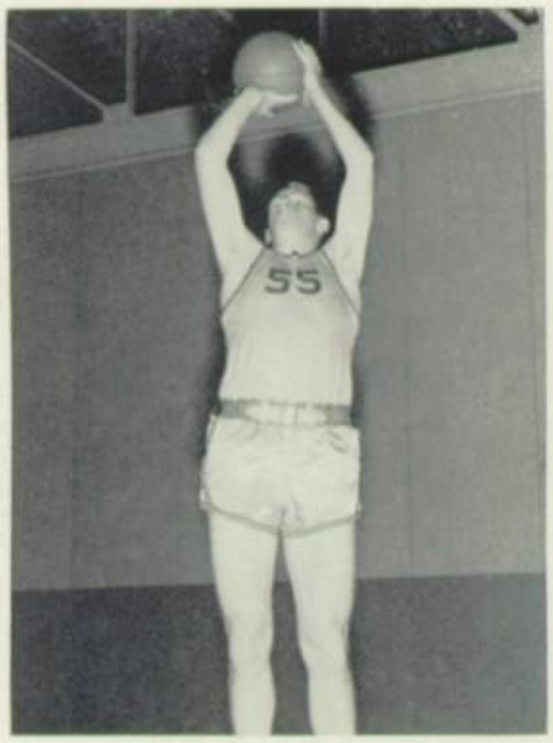


Don Mullens

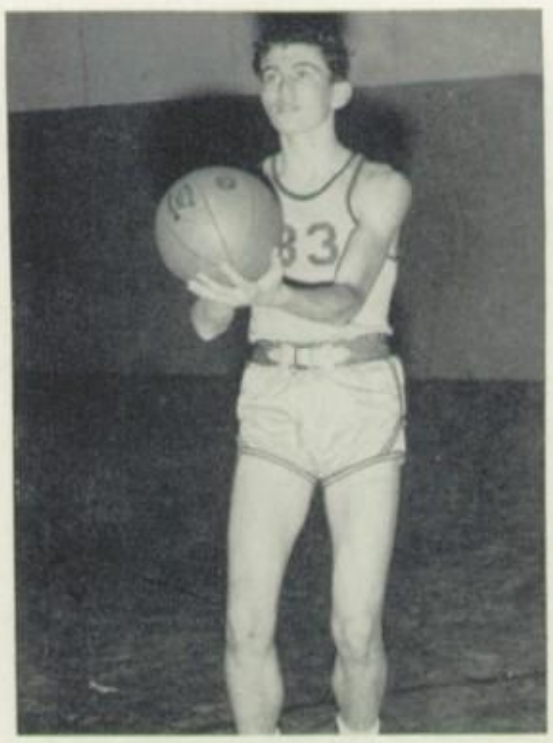
Ron Boelema

Van Til, the lone Rebel

Buchholz has it now



Henry Buchholz



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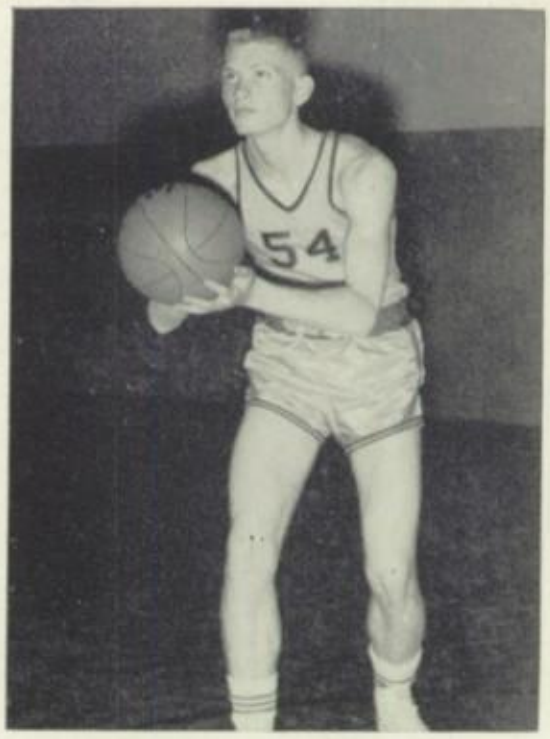
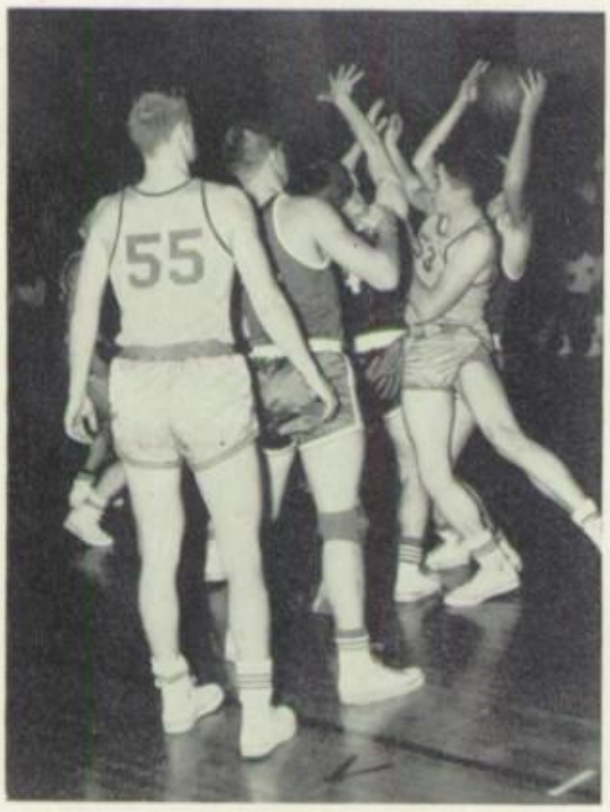
Bob Hoffman

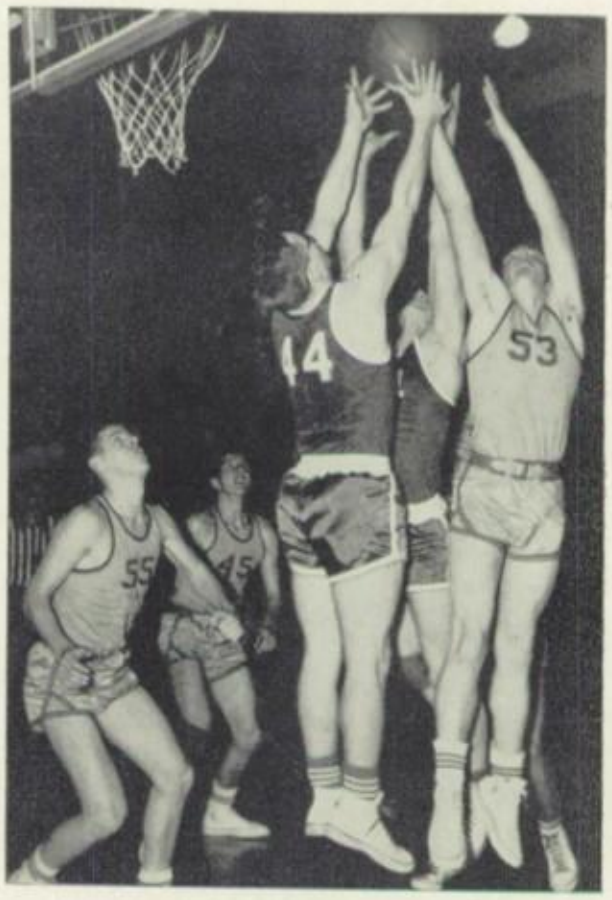
Jerry Daily



Gary Van Til



Bulldogs and Rebels go at it



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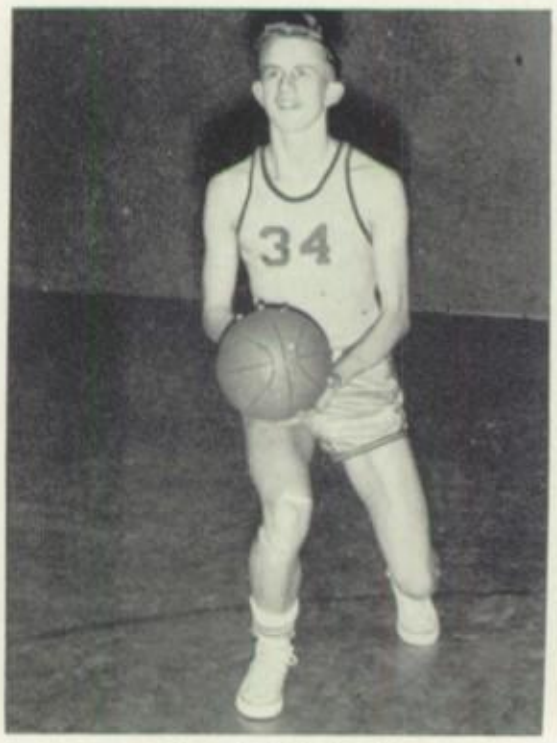


Martin De Vries

Dave Haverkamp

Tom Thompson

Standing: Manager Jim De Young, Phil Mitchell, Jerry Laninga, Bob Molenkamp, Paul Riewald, Kent Quakkelaar, Rich Mate, Coach Lynn Post.

Seated: Doug Buchanan, Jack Camp, Doug Greenwold, Martin Reynolds, Bob Velding.

Reserves Show Promise

Although the Reserve team ended the season with seven wins and nine losses, it proved to be the most successful since 1954 when the Reserve team compiled a record of ten wins against six losses. The same disease which has plagued Lee Reserve teams in the past, struck again this year. The team lost to the Varsity three Sophomores and a Freshman, who would have been starters on the team.

Coach Post commented that he thought the boys did a good job and that some would be definite threats to make the Varsity next year.

Freshmen Team Organized

This is the first year that Lee has had a Freshmen basketball team. Its purposes are to give more Freshmen a chance to participate in basketball and to develop more talent for the Reserve and Varsity teams.

This year's team had a creditable nine won and five lost season, losing twice to only one team. The season's leading scorer was Dave Hoek, followed closely by Bill Cole, Harold Van Ham, Wayne Dertien, Jim Curtiss, Jim Korf and Wendell Hofman. Best percentages for free throw shooting were posted by Harold Van Ham, Jim Korf, Wendell Hofman and Dennis Dykstra.

Standing: Coach John Gabrion, Zane De Boer, John Heidema, Dennis Dykstra, Ed Chapple, Wendell Hofman, Jim Korf, Jerry Watts, Jim Curtiss, Manager Larry Orange.

Kneeling: Bill Cole, Ned Nielsen, Wayne Dertien, Dave Hoek, Ted Van Os, Harold Van Ham.

Team in the Stage of Rebuilding

The 1956 Lee track team was composed of boys who were determined but inexperienced. They started out the season with Lowell, by whom they suffered defeat 88½ to 20½.

Coach Harold Sabin said it would be a year or two before Lee becomes a large Valley threat since it is only in the rebuilding stage which consists of promising Freshmen and Sophomores.

Scores

Lowell	88½	Lee	20½
Grandville	87	Lee	22
Rockford	73	Lee	27
Wyoming	74	Lee	35
East	95	Lee	14
Godwin	71⅔	Lee	37⅓

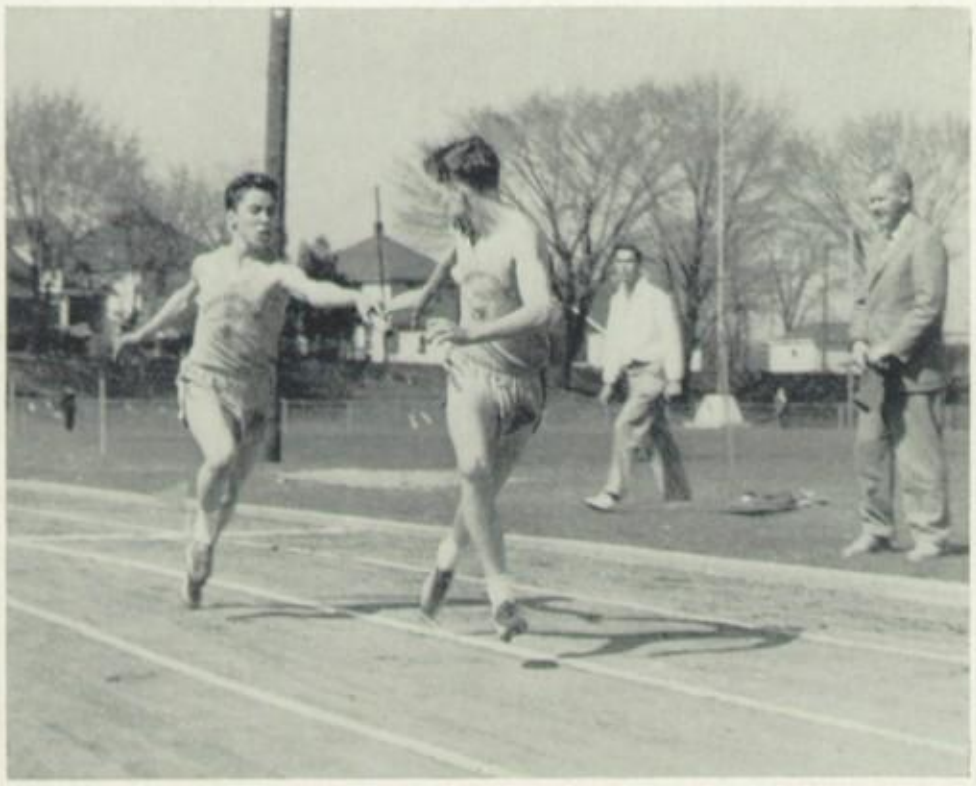
Standings

	W	L
East	6	0
Lowell	5	1
Rockford	4	2
Grandville	3	3
Godwin	2	4
Wyoming	1	5
Lee	0	6

Top row: Assistant Coach De Waard, Martin De Vries, John Ten Brink, Gene Sanford, Craige Moore, Dave Sunde, Bob Ellis, Dave Boes, Dave Stout, Larry Satterla, Coach Sabin.

Second row: Manager Jim De Young, Russell Reeder, Lloyd Kamp, John Rhoad, Harold Borg, Don Nash, John Potjer, Jim Krakowski, Gordon Cook, George Graeber.

Bottom row: Doug Buchanan, Ron Taylor, Jerry Battjes, Bob England, Dale Deverman, Larry Merryweather, Bob Molenkamp, Bill Nash.



The "coast is clear" as John Ten Brink rounds a bend.

Larry Satterla "takes over" the relay baton from Jim Krakowski.

Gene Sanford really made it.

Teamwork Brings Results

As soon as the snow was gone, the baseball team was starting its practice sessions at the field.

Under the able management of Coach Robert Wright, the baseball team had a fairly successful year. They won fifty per cent of their games and finished the season in fourth place.

The team had two very fine pitchers, Maurice Blish, who was elected captain, and Gary Van Til. The rest of the team backed them up by playing their positions very well.

With only two lettermen leaving the team, the ball club has lots of promise in the future season.

Scores

East	0	Lee	1
Kelloggsville	14	Lee	7
Godwin	11	Lee	2
Grandville	5	Lee	19
Wyoming	6	Lee	5
Lowell	4	Lee	2
East	8	Lee	7
Kelloggsville	9	Lee	10
Grandville	1	Lee	7
Wyoming	0	Lee	12
Rockford	3	Lee	2
Lowell	3	Lee	8

Standings

	W	L
Rockford	8	2
Godwin	8	3
Lowell	6	4
Lee	5	5
East	5	6
Wyoming	4	7
Grandville	1	10

Top row: Coach Robert Wright, Tom Thompson, Dave Haverkamp, Maurice Blish, Henry Buchholz, Ron Dertien, Gary Van Til, Lynn Norlin.

Second row: Bob Bennett, Bob Bonzheim, Don Mullens, Tom Kooiker, Phil Mitchell, Jerry Daily, Bob Hoffman.
Bottom row: Ralph Antcliff, Jack Camp, Bob Robson, Bob Wierenga, Bill Huitema.

Batters up with Don Mullens, Maurice Blish, Gary Van Til, Henry Buchholz

The team between innings

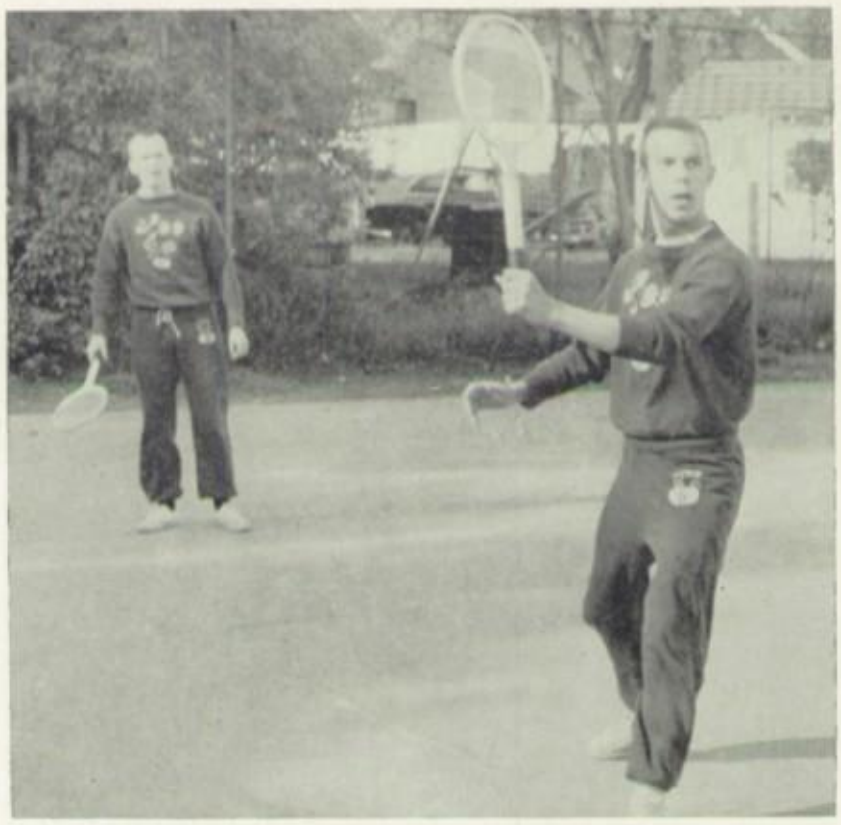
The line-up with Dave Haverkamp, Jerry Daily, Tom Thompson, Bob Bonzheim, Tom Kooiker

Determination and Spirit to the Finish

The two things that held the 1956 Tennis team down were inexperience and the best competition the Grand Valley has had for many years. With only two returning lettermen, Wayne Ripperda and Ron Boelema, the team didn't have the depth and ability to compete against the powerhouses.

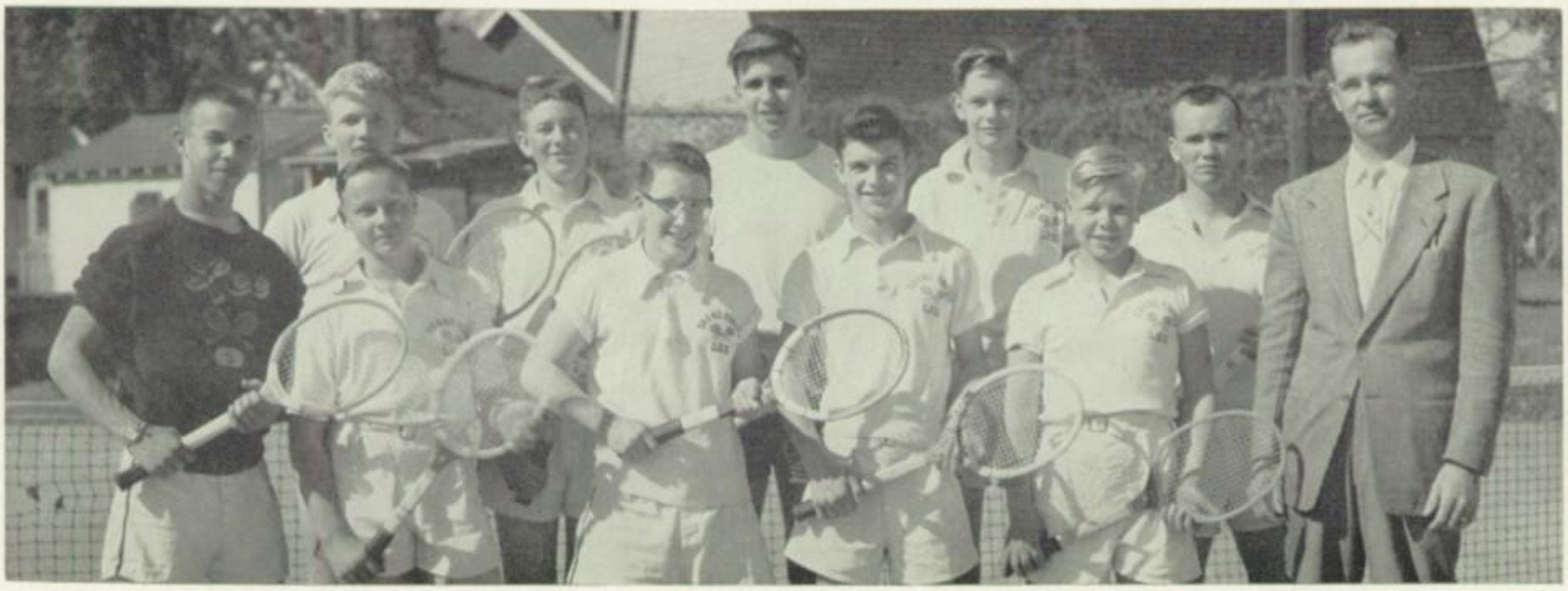
Even though the team had a very depressing season they never lost the most important things, determination and spirit, for they fought every game to the finish.

Next year we know that with the experience and ability of this year, we shall be a constant threat to the opposing teams.



A doubles team, Ron Byers and Rog De Vree

Back row: John Piet, Ray Fliearman, Ed Baker, Ron Boelema, Ron Byers.
Front row: Roger De Vree, Ken Coeling, Chuck Rietberg, Wayne Ripperda, Gordon Konyndyk, Coach Roy Lakanen.



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Dr. H. Vander-Zwaag - 1415 Grandville Ave.

Dr. H. L. Coburn - Upstairs, 1600 Grandville Ave.

Dr. R. K. Jewell - - - 1115 W. Burton St.
Optometrist

Dr. J. R. Stryker, D.D.S. - Upstairs, 1967 Godfrey Ave.

Dutmer's Sunoco Service - Burlingame and Burton
Sunoco Service with a Smile—S. & H. Green Stamps

Finkbeiner's Garage - - - 1331 Chicago Dr.

Four-Star Service Station, Inc. - 1045 Chicago Dr.
Remember the Red Station — A better buy

Fred's Trading Post - - 1550 Twenty-Eighth St.
Quality Groceries and Meats

Fry House - - - - - - 1325 Chicago Dr.
Sure, Ace eats here

Fryling Jewelry - - - - 1045 W. Burton St.
Fine Diamonds — Sheaffer Pens — Silverware
Elgin, Bulova, Hamilton and Longines-Wittnauer Watches

Galewood Bakery - - - 1070 W. Burton St.

Galewood Gulf - - - 1200 W. Burton St.

Galewood Outfitting Co. - 1038-44 W. Burton St.
Furnishings for the entire home

Galewood Super Market - 1046 W. Burton St.
We give S.& H. Green Stamps

General Finance Loan Co. - 1600 Grandville Ave.
Upstairs

George Isenhoff - - - 1514 Roosevelt Ave.

G. I. Body Shop - - - 650 W. Burton St.
Auto Body Repairing and Painting

Grand Rapids Gravel Co. - - 2100 Chicago Dr.
Washed Sand and Gravel — Ready-Mix Concrete

Grand Rapids Printing Ink Co. - 1365 Judd Ave.

Grandville-Wyoming Transit Co. - 1817 Porter St.
Special Rates for Charter Service

Green Meadow Dairy - - 1506 Chicago Dr.
Ice Cream, Thick Malteds, Lunches and Dairy Products

Greenwald's Drug Store - 1113-15 W. Burton St.
Soda Fountain and Drugs

Groen's Hardware - - - 1600 Grandville Ave.

Hall's Barber Shop - - - 1240 W. Burton St.

Hanson's Cut Rate Drug Store - 1269 Chicago Dr.
Mart and Jean Lipp, Proprietors

Herman Remtema - - 826-856 W. Burton St.
Electrical Construction

H & M Dry Cleaners - - 1123 Chicago Dr.

Huizen's Furniture of Galewood - 1031 W. Burton

Ideal Lawnmower Shop - 1143 W. Burton St.

Jelsema Hardware - - 1538 Clyde Park Ave.
Leonard Refrigerators and Appliances

Jersey Dairy - - - - - 1627 Berkley Ave.

Jewell Tea Company, Inc. - 1967 Godfrey Ave.
Coffee — Fine Foods — Housewares

Joldersma & Son Funeral Home - 832 Grandville Ave.

Jurgens & Holtvluwer - - 1506 Grandville Ave.
Grand Rapids Largest Outlying Department Store

J. & W. Blouw - 172 Ottawa, Grandville, Mich.
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Kent Block Company - - 1621 Chicago Dr.
Kent Block Hardware - - 1623 Chicago Dr.
Kent Dry Cleaners - - 1421 Grandville Ave.
Kimble Auto Electric Co. - 1257-59 Chicago Dr.
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You buy from folks you know at Foodtown
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Krell Paper Stock Company - 580 W. Burton St.
Always buying Waste Paper
Kuiper Funeral Home - - 1311 Chicago Dr.

Langehorst Bible Book House - 1507 Grandville Ave.
LaJay Beauty Salon - - - 1967 Godfrey Ave.
Lenger Construction Co. - - 1048 Chicago Dr.
Linda's Flower Shop - - 1427 Grandville Ave.
Lloyd's Typesetting Service - 1215 W. Burton St.

Midway Super Service - - 447 Grandville Ave.
M. D. Oberg, Proprietor
Miller Equipment Company - 1502 Chicago Dr.
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Mulder Grocery - - - - 1502 Chicago Dr.
Groceries, Meats, Ice Cream, Vegetables, Frozen Fruits
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Complete Line of Groceries
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We fix anything that burns gas

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I. G. A.
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Dear Mrs. Osterink

The time has come for me to leave the halls of Lee High. I will never forget the memories I have of you. You have been a wonderful example to me and my friends of the 1957 class. I want to wish you all the luck and happiness possible. To me you are the best. Thank you for everything you have done for me.

Love
Betty Johnson

Dear Mrs Osterink,

I will allways remember you as one of my favorite teachers. Have fun this summer and I wish you all the luck and happiness through out the year.

Love
Barbara Breen

Dear Mrs. Osterink,

I've had lots of fun with you this yr. and we think you are a good teacher. Hope you have many happy years ahead of you yet. and many more at Lee Se.

Good.

Love,

Susan

Dear Mrs. Osterink,
So long to a wonderful teacher, and but wishes in your future years at Lee.

B.K.!

Dear Mrs. Osterink,
I've enjoyed having you as my teacher this year and am looking forward to being in your class next year.

Love
Judy Arderna
-57"

Dear Mrs. Osterink,

It has been an extreme pleasure having you for a teacher and a friend. You have been a real inspiration to me and I am sure to the entire class. I know I will miss you and all the rest of the teachers. It has been a wonderful four years.

Sybil Brown

Dear Mrs. Osterink,

I enjoyed being in your classes and home rooms. Have fun this summer. Hope to see you at Lee for many more years.

Your friend,
Julie Hazebrook

Dear Mrs. Osterink
I had a wonderful time
in your room this
year and hope to have
made a good impression
on myself I hope others
will agree you the
Best teacher at Lee

Your Student,
Pattie Klotz

Dear Mrs. Osterink,

Best wishes to a wonderful teacher. Good luck in your future years at Lee

John Verdeyen

Dear Mrs. Osterink,
I sure hope you had
a good time this summer.
I sure hope you get
your brakes fixed. Remember.
I don't see how you
could forget.
Best Wishes always.
Judy Chmielewski.

Dear Mrs. Osterink,
I never had you for a teacher
but my dad did and I heard a lot
about you and I wish that I could
have. Have fun this summer. See you
next year in the Study Hall.
Shirley Ann Beer

Dear Mrs Osterinks
I congradulate you on
your twenty-six years of excellent
servic. I don't think I will ever
forget you as a friend, but more
than that a teacher. I enjoyed
your class very much. I do hope
you will continue in your work
as a teacher. Love Alice Pikaart